WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer has risen on the Northern Coast, and fine weather, with light frosts, has occurred over this Province. Zero temperatures have occurred in Manitoba.

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UNIVERSITY LANDS MUST SEE CHANGE

Report of Commissioner A. N. Daykin Shows Area Will Not Realize Money for Endowment

INTEREST CHARGES $330,000 ANNUALLY

Says Units Have Been Developed in Wrong Order From Transportation Point of View

ADVISING the pronouncement of a general policy as soon as possible with regard to units one and two of the University Endowment Lands at Point Grey, Mr. A. N. Daykin, the commissioner who investigated the situation there for the Government, does not think it is necessary to lay down a general policy with regard to the remainder of the area at the present time.

The report was tabled in the Legislature yesterday afternoon, and a perusal of the document indicates that the situation there is very serious as far as the chances of the university deriving anything, as a result of the policy which was laid down by the late Government.

"There will have to be a very great change somewhere on the area," says the report, "or the area will not realize any money for endowment even if relieved of the university loans," says Mr. Daykin in his report.

IN FACE OF WARNING

That the scheme was launched by the late Government in the face of warning from the then comptroller general, Mr. A. N. Mouat, is borne out in the report which shows that in 1920, when the proposal was made for the development of 500 acres of the area in order to find money for the university, the Comptroller General dealt with the subject proposed in a memorandum to Dr. MacLean under date of April 1, 1920. Mr. Mouat pointed out that it would be very poor business to lay out an area as proposed on the chance that it would all sell in five years' time. He ventured the opinion that it would be impossible for the Government to sell lots enough

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Italian Delegates Return to London

(Associated Press)

ROME, Feb. 24.—Foreign Minister Dino Grandi and Admiral Sirianni, of the Italian delegation to the London Naval Conference, started back to London this afternoon after a week-end visit.

On their arrival here last week they had a two-hour interview with Premier Mussolini, who expressed approval of the policy pursued by the Foreign Minister.

From the Colonist Tower

Tuesday, Feb. 25

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy, with frost at night.

Sun Rises: 7:02 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 5:49 o'clock.

High Tide: 5:05 a.m., 8.7 feet.
Low Tide: 7:45 p.m., 2.2 feet.

The News

Local and Provincial—
- Report filed on development of British Columbia University lands.
- Annual meeting of Victoria Branch of Navy League is held.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
- Prime Minister Mackenzie King says it is possible general election may be held before Imperial Conference.
- Naval Conference anxiously awaiting result of vote to be taken in French Chamber today.
- Eleven dead and over eighty injured in train smash when auto driver takes chance at level crossing.
- Proletarian group swamped in Japanese elections and Premier can now proceed with needed reforms.

Sports

- Vancouver Lions move up in Pacific Coast hockey race by defeating Seattle.
- Sixteen candidates to try for places on Victoria "rep" Rugby team for game against Varsity at Vancouver. Workout to be held tomorrow night at Oak Bay.
- Phil Scott believes days of brutal boxing bouts in United States coming to a close.
- Madison Square Garden stands to lose a lot of money on coming heavyweight show.
- Forward pass eliminated by Canadian Rugby body.
- Sharkey not taking bout with Scott lightly.

Wheat at Kansas Drops to Dollar On Grain Market

(Associated Press)

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 24.—Dollar wheat was reached to Kansas City today as a flood of grain poured into the local market and futures prices dropped precipitately, the May option touching $1 a bushel and then closing one cent up.

GRAIN TAKES FIRST PLACE IN INTEREST

Break in Wheat Prices at Winnipeg and Chicago Attributed to Attack on Pool

PREMIERS CONFER ON SITUATION

Speaking to a representative of The Colonist yesterday, a broker of the city, who has had long experience in the wheat market, said there was no question but that speculators who looked on the matter entirely from the business point of view, irrespective of weightier considerations, had gradually got deeper and deeper into the market and were, in his opinion, greatly responsible for the present low prices.

Wheat pit professionals in both Canada and the United States, together with some importers in the Old Country who have their own interests to consider, have, he believes, been trying to break the pool. But, notwithstanding their efforts, he considers they must fail, and that the farmers, whose interests are too important to be disregarded, economically or politically, must win.

At Winnipeg yesterday, wheat prices crashed nearly five cents a bushel, with May hitting 1.10 3-4, 3 3-8c lower than Saturday's close. At Chicago, grain prices collapsed from 5 1-2c to 6 3-8c a bushel in a market session stated to have been almost demoralized by selling orders.

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EXEMPTION OF CHURCH FROM TAXES ASKED

Trustees of Metropolitan United Church Request City Council to Approve Legislation Sought

NO OPPOSITION WILL BE OFFERED

A historic issue was once more debated in the City Council last night when a letter was read from the trustees of the Metropolitan United Church asking for approval of an amendment to the existing legislation respecting the taxation of buildings used for public worship. The trustees desire to rent to the First Baptist congregation the former Congregational church on the corner of Mason and Quadra Streets, and they think that it should be exempt from taxation in the same way as it would be if used by the United Church itself.

It was explained by the City Solicitor that if a building used for other purposes during the week and owned by private persons were rented by a religious body for public worship on Sunday, such a build-

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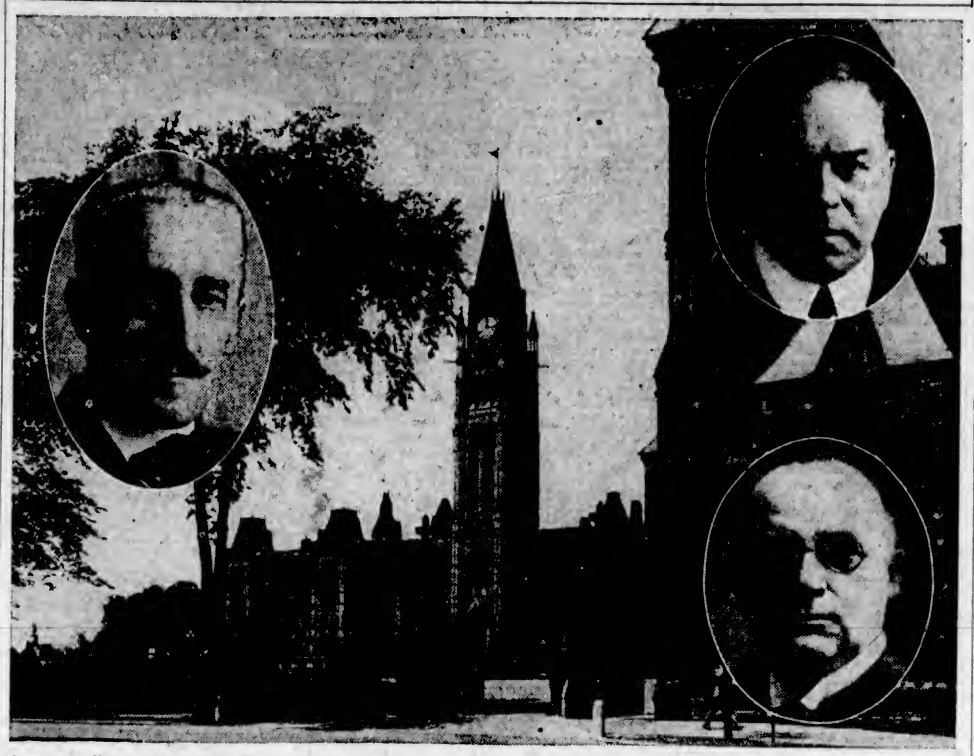
Potato Growers Stand Firm on Marketing Act

CLOVERDALE, B.C., Feb. 24.—Potato growers of the Lower Mainland refused to be divorced from the Produce Marketing Act, when a resolution to that effect was introduced shortly before midnight on Saturday at a crowded meeting in Cloverdale.

Amid a scene of confusion Mr. R. D. Barrow, former Minister of Agriculture and chairman of the meeting, declared the resolution defeated at 12:45 o'clock Sunday morning.

The decision was received with deafening cheers, catcalls and howls of derision, which continued until the meeting closed. The session was featured throughout by stormy passages and outspoken criticisms.

Scene of Last Week's Pomp and Pageantry



Above Is an Unusual View of the Stately Houses of Parliament on Parliament Hill, Ottawa, While Inset Are Viscount Willingdon, Left, Governor-General of Canada; Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister of the Dominion, Top, Right, and Hon. R. B. Bennett, Leader of the Opposition.

PREMIER OF BRITAIN ON SOVIETISM

Says Government Is Much Concerned About Anti-religious Activities of Russian Leaders

AGITATION HARDENS HEART OF RUSSIANS

(Associated Press)

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Prime Minister MacDonald, in a letter made public today, said the British Government was much concerned about anti-religious activities in the Soviet Union, but could not say what it could do until it had all the facts.

The letter, an answer to an unnamed correspondent regarding religious affairs in Russia, was made public by the Press Department of the Labor Party.

It specified that news from Riga, Latvia, should not be believed until corroborated, and added that many statements from that source had been proved false.

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DR. ARCHIE FEE DIES IN LONDON

VANCOUVER, B.C., Feb. 24.—Dr. Archie R. Fee, one of the University of British Columbia's most brilliant graduates, died yesterday in London, England, according to word received here by his parents, Doctor Fee, who was twenty-four years of age, succumbed following an attack of pneumonia. In 1927, after two years' research work in Great Britain, he was appointed as successor to that great physiological scholar, the late Dr. E. H. Starling, at University College, London. Doctor Fee was born at Kamloops, B.C.

Intense Interest Attached To Fate of French Premier In Vote to Be Taken Today

(Associated Press)

PARIS, Feb. 24.—France's new Radical Socialist Government was ready tonight for the first test of strength in the Chamber of Deputies, counting on a majority of from ten to fifteen in the crucial vote on confidence tomorrow. Premier Camille Chautemps, who will read the ministerial statement of policy at 3 p.m., personally expressed confidence in his chances of weathering the storm from the Right that undoubtedly will rock the Cabinet ship. Receiving newspapermen, he said he would outline his policy to the Deputies and they could then take the responsibility of accepting or rejecting it.

The greatest uncertainty prevailed in other circles, however. A thorough canvass of Deputies of all groups made by supporters of the Government, showed voting strength of the Chautemps Cabinet and of the Opposition to be about evenly matched.

OPPOSITION CONFIDENT

The Opposition believed the Government would be defeated by a few votes, and the Nationalist elements frankly described it as "the still-born Government."

The new Premier's budgetary programme may prove his salvation. A statement promising lower taxes is confidently expected and the popularity of such a message may cause many Deputies who would otherwise vote against the Government merely to abstain from voting.

In any case, former Premier Tardieu and his group of sixty-four Deputies will be in the ranks of the Opposition. The "Republicans of the Left" today decided unanimously not to give their confidence to M. Chautemps. M. Tardieu himself told his followers he felt it was impossible for them to support the Radical Socialist leader.

The Cabinet examined the draft of the ministerial declaration. Another Cabinet meeting, under the direction of President Doumergue, will re-examine it at the Elysee Palace tomorrow.

WORKER IS KILLED

NEW WESTMINISTER, B.C., Feb. 24.—Joseph J. Johnston, longshoreman, was almost instantly killed in the hold of the Japanese freighter Shunten Maru here today when a heavy timber fell on his back. He is survived by his widow and two children. He came here from Fort William, Ont., several years ago.

LONDON FEELS ANXIETY OVER FRENCH VOTE

Naval Conference Delegates Wondering if New Premier Can Survive Events of Today

REPORTED FAILURE DECLARED ABSURD

(Associated Press)

LONDON, Feb. 24.—The London Naval Conference is awaiting anxiously tomorrow's vote in the French Chamber of Deputies as to whether the Chautemps Government will survive.

If all goes well with M. Chautemps, Foreign Minister Briand will return to London and captain the French delegation. The conference then will swing into action before the week-end and another plenary session may be expected next week.

SURPRISE DAT REPORT

Both Prime Minister MacDonald of Great Britain, and Colonel Stimson, of the United States, this morning at Stanmore, where the Premier was a guest of Mr. Stimson, read with surprise the sensational account in one of London's largest newspapers of the collapse

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Non-Brahmins to Attend at Delhi Indian Parley

(Canadian Press Cable via Reuter's)

BOMBAY, India, Feb. 24.—A willingness to co-operate with the Government of India with the other parties attending the proposed Round-Table Conference which is to deal with India's present-day problems, was expressed over the week-end by the All-India Non-Brahmin Congress committee meeting here. The resolution adopted by the Congress committee endorsed the statement of policy made by Lord Irwin, Viceroy of India, on October 30 and January 25.

The non-Brahmin organization is not to be confused with the Gandhi-led conference, which met recently at Ahwehabad.

ELEVEN DEAD AS MOTOR CAR MAKES CRASH

Driver Taking Chance on Crossing Causes Wreck of Express and Many Fatalities

INJURED BELIEVED TO BE EIGHTY-FOUR

(Associated Press)

KENOSHA, Wis., Feb. 24.—Responsibility for the wreck late last night of two electric trains with a toll of eleven dead and eighty-four sent to hospitals with injuries, appeared to centre, officials said, on Norman E. Shinners, twenty-one, Milwaukee, who took a chance at a grade crossing and lost his life and that of a friend in the automobile with him.

The other nine dead, four women

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Doukhobors Sued In Supreme Court On $30,000 Claim

An action against the official Doukhobor community, incorporated as the "Christian Community of Universal Brotherhood, Limited," has been instituted by Mr. J. B. Clearihue on behalf of Frederick William Godsal. Mr. Godsal is suing the Community for $30,000, which he claims as the balance due on a sale of land, together with costs, interest and "such further action as this honorable court shall deem meet."

Tardieu Party to Vote Against New French Premier

(Associated Press)

PARIS, Feb. 24.—The Left Republican group, sixty-four strong, of which former Premier Tardieu is leader, today decided unanimously not to grant confidence to the new Chautemps Government in accordance with the instructions of the former Premier.

STATE OUGHT TO SUPPORT NAVY LEAGUE

Minister of Education Predicts Great Future and Stresses Value of Merchant Marine

MR. P. F. CURTIS IS NEW PRESIDENT

Expressing the hope that the time would come when both the Federal and Provincial Governments would take a definite and distinctive interest in the work of the Navy League, Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe, who addressed the annual meeting of the Victoria and Island Branch of the Navy League of Canada in the Empress Hotel last evening, stated that British Columbia should be preparing for the time coming when from the great ports along her long line of sea coast the bulk of Canada's commerce would be passing to the trade routes of the world.

"The work of the Navy League is interesting to the ordinary man," remarked the speaker, "and should be to the state. To anyone interested in boys, the work is of vital moment. The state should consider the work being done by the league from the standpoint of defence and not from an offensive angle, and British Columbia should do its part. For years the Empire will have to depend on its navy to protect its commerce on the sea lanes of the world, and during this time there must continue to be development of the merchant marine."

An effort had been made some time ago to secure a certain vessel for training purposes. It was with regret the minister stated that the

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Two Are Killed In Plane Crash At Santa Maria

SANTA MARIA, Cal., Feb. 24.—Thomas Middleton, twenty-four years old, of Los Angeles, student at an airplane school here, and Joseph W. Pearson, thirty-one years old, an instructor, were killed in the crash of their ship thirteen miles east of here today. The ship was flying over a ranch when it was seen to fall.

Mr. Pearson was formerly a well-known athlete of Toronto, going overseas when war broke out, where he served with the Royal Flying Corps in the air. At the conclusion of the war, he was employed as a flyer for some years by the Ford Company in Ontario, later coming west to Vancouver. Leaving the latter city about one and a half years ago, he went to Southern California, where he was employed by the Hancock Foundation Aviation School, at Santa Maria. The deceased airman was a son-in-law of Mr. W. R. Wilson, of the Crows' Nest Pass Coal Company, who resides in Vancouver, and a brother-in-law of Mr. Ridgway R. Wilson, of Victoria. The body is being sent east to Toronto for burial.

ELECTION IS FORECAST AS LIKELY SOON

Prime Minister King Says It Is Possible Before Coming Meeting of Economic Conference

HOUSE OF COMMONS STARTS BUSINESS

Conservative Leader Sarcastic at Entrance of Mr. Crerar Into Present Government

(Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 24.—Just before the House of Commons adjourned for dinner this evening Premier Mackenzie King dealt more extensively with the question of when the Government would appeal to the people. The Government had not yet considered when that appeal would be made, but he could assure the House that it would not wait till the last day of the last week of the last month of the last year as the Conservatives had done. The date would depend on what might develop in the Parliament or possibly something affecting Canada as a result of what might be done in a foreign country.

"I can imagine a situation in Canada in connection with the tariff on which an appeal to the people could very appropriately be made."

The Conservative leader had said the Prime Minister should not go to the Imperial conference without first going before the people, Premier Mackenzie King declared.

"I may tell him it is quite possible they will have it," Mr. King added, amid shouts of "tell us" and "we are ready" from the Conservatives.

ADDRESS IS MOVED

The debate on the address in reply to the speech from the Throne was opened in the House when Mr. Ross Gray, (Liberal, Lampton West), moved that a humble address of thanks be presented to His Excellency. Introducing his review of domestic and international conditions Mr. Gray recalled the pleasure which the recovery of His Majesty had given to

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PROLETARIAN JAPAN PARTY IS SWAMPED

Sensational Victory of Government Opens Way for Many Reforms Needed for So Long

MAJORITY GREATER THAN WAS EXPECTED

By WARD PHELPS

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TOKIO, Japan, Feb. 24.—Premier Yuko Hamaguchi is the man of the hour throughout the Japanese Empire, following the sensational victory of the Minseito or Government party in the general elections. Complete returns received in Tokio yesterday give the party 273 seats in the Diet against 174 for the Seiyukai, chief Opposition group, which held the majority in the previous Diet when it was dissolved after the fall of the Tanaka Cabinet.

FAITH IN PREMIER

With an absolute majority of forty over all other parties combined, the Minseito party thus enjoys one of the largest margins since its formation two decades ago. This result is far more than even the Minseito leaders hoped to achieve, for they had predicted a bare majority and admitted that they would be thankful for any number, however small, above a combination of the other groups.

Now the next political move is up to Premier Hamaguchi and no one else, as he now has the tools to put into practice many of his promised schemes for bettering economic and business conditions. The public generally believes that he can do it, if anyone can and has therefore given him the chance.

Another feature of the parliamentary elections was the decisive defeat of the Proletarians, only five of whom were elected when from ten to fifteen seats for the Proletarian groups were anticipated, even by their opponents.

It is expected that the new Diet will convene late in April

Russia Becoming Alarmed At Agitation Raised Over Society of Godless Deeds

By NEGLEY FARSON

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LONDON, Eng., Feb. 24.—The Communist war against God up to date has been so unsuccessful that if a vote were taken in Soviet Russia today, a majority would vote to retain the churches, was the surprising admission made by spokesmen of the Russian Embassy in London to The Daily News correspondent today.

Substantiating this assertion, they quoted the latest statistics brought out by the Bezbozhniki, or Society of the Goldess, which show that out of a total of 50,000 churches in the Soviet Union, only 3,850 have been closed.

DIFFERS FROM EVIDENCE

This statement is so much out of variance with the evidence of one's own eyes in years of roving through Russian cities, towns and villages where wrecked, disused and dilapidated churches confront one on every hand, for the few churches still open, that the Russian spokesmen at the Embassy thereupon qualified the statistics published by the Society of the Godless. There was a tremendous overproduction of churches in Holy Russia, they said, and the present parishes could not afford to keep up all of them.

Therefore, in small towns with five churches, four are closed and

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Success of Parley Appears to Depend on Whether U.S. Would Agree to Mediterranean Pact

By CONSTANTINE BROWN

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LONDON, Eng., Feb. 24.—"Parity in tonnage really means parity in responsibility," were Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald's words when discussing with the members of his Cabinet the position resulting from France's intransigeant refusal to reduce her naval demands unless a Mediterranean Locarno is given her by the other four powers attending the London conference.

Mr. MacDonald's words referred to the United States. His opinion is that the United States should agree to enter into an international agreement whereby the Mediterranean—the greatest lake in the world—should never again become the scene of a struggle among nations.

POLITICAL INSTRUMENT

After having spent five precious weeks discussing "meaningless" figures, Mr. MacDonald as well as some of the other principal delegates, have come to the conclusion that this conference will not achieve the desired result—reduction of navies—unless some political instrument is found to insure France's security, thus enabling Great Britain to keep to the figures arrived at by President Hoover and Mr. MacDonald at their Rapidan meeting. These figures are found necessary to secure parity between the British and the American Navies.

At one time it was suggested that should France be unwilling to reduce the tonnage she proposes to build, a three-power agreement between Great Britain, the United States and Japan would be satisfactory to everybody.

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JUDGMENT RESERVED

Judgment was reserved yesterday in the county court, by Judge Barker, in Strangman versus Palmer, an action in which Mrs. Strangman is suing for damages caused in an automobile collision on Government Street. Mr. A. H. Wootton is appearing for the plaintiff and Mr. W. H. Bullock-Webster for the defendant.



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to cover the cost of the improvements alone.

The comptroller general warned that the province would have to find an amount for interest and sinking fund out of its current revenues for this proposition.

The report says that Mr. Mouat's words were not listened to with regard to it. The Government of the day went ahead with the development unit one, which was placed on the market on May 19, 1925.

ONE-THIRD OF LOTS

Up to the end of June of the present year after four years' time there had been only eighty-eight lots sold out of a possible 240. Unit Two has been on the market for two years, and only about a third of the lots have been disposed of.

"The Government, in placing the first unit on the market, selected that which was farthest from the centre of the city of Vancouver. It had poor transportation facilities and had to compete with new Shaughnessy Heights which was provided with excellent transportation facilities. Had unit seven been placed on the market first, the opportunities of selling might have been better, as it was reached by two car lines.

Dealing with the financial position of affairs in this connection the report says that the Department of Lands is not aware of what the interest charges are.

"No interest has been debited to the account, and in fact, the Department of Lands does not up to the present time know what the money is costing," says the report. "In this I refer to both the auditor's report and the evidence of Mr. Charles A. Pope, Assistant Deputy Minister of Lands, which was taken under oath."

There is set out as having been advanced by the Treasurer to June 30, 1929, the sum of $1,774,937.34.

In addition to this, interest has been estimated by the auditor from the time the account was taken over by the Department of Lands to June, 1929, as $226,704.38, making a total debt of $2,001,641.72. Of this $328,482 was advanced on mortgages for building houses in the area. Two units only have been developed and put in shape for sale. The value is placed at $930,965, of which land to the value of $150,075 has been sold, and on which there is still owing $50,265.15.

FINE SITES

Mr. Daykin pays a compliment to the character of the land, and its position. It is laid out in beautiful manner from the standpoint of town planning.

"The only difficulty I find is the question of whether or not the ultimate purpose for which the area was laid out, that of creating funds for the endowment of the University, has been kept sufficiently in mind," says the Commissioner.

The area is given, after deducting that rented or leased to the University, schools, parks, roads, etc., as 1,944 acres. The Auditor of Revenues' statement, prepared with interest compounded up to June of this year shows moneys due under the act $6,607,939.45. The amount charged against the lands at present is $3,398 an acre.

While he feels that the land will naturally increase in value he points out that there will be added to it at the rate of $330,000 a year in interest charges.

"I do not think that anyone feels that this sum could be realized from the land," says the report.

"It is apparent, therefore, that if the lands are to remain charged with this amount, that there can be no sum realized for endowment purposes."

The account against the lands was from 1920 to 1926 under the Public Works Department. From that time on it was under the Department of Lands. As at June, 1929, the assets in connection with the area is placed as follows:

Balance owing on land, $50,265.15; leased lands, $160,065; unsold lands, $612,615; money loaned on mortgage, $328,482.20, of a toal of $1,151,427.35. Reference is made to the fact that there are improvements carried out on outside areas such as University Boulevard, and clearing 120 acres by relief work now used as golf course, and the partial clearing of unit three.

"But even after allowing for these improvements," the report continues, "the loss will be very heavy."

This would have been greatly reduced, it is alluded to, by the local improvement taxes had the land sold promptly at the time it was placed on the market. But this asset is rapidly diminishing under the plan which calls for the paying off of the local improvements by 1945 and 1948 in units one and two respectively.

CARRYING CHARGES

The carrying charges including interest to date amounts to $435,982.60, made up as follows: Administration, $20,475; land sales including advertising commissions, etc., $36,091; maintenance, $132,987.78; loans on school, over and above grants and taxes, $6,864.66; compensation on Valhalla cemetery deal, over and above commission paid, $12,269.88; interest calculated from March, 1926, to June, 1929, $226,704.28; making a total of $435,392.60.

This, it is pointed out, is very nearly one-half the value of the land in the development areas. The revenues to offset against this, not including the principal received for sale of land, has been very little. The general taxes for the past three years of $5,000 was for the greater part from the property disposed of before the area was developed. There is a debt against the developed land without the university loan far in excess of the asset given. Up to the end of 1928 the Government absorbed the local improvement taxes on the unsold and unleased land, which was $67,000. By the end of the present year this will be very largely increased.

MAINTENANCE

In the matter of maintenance the situation is worse. The revenues for the current year, including the whole of the principal derived from the sale of lands, will scarcely meet the carrying charges without allowing one cent for either interest or principal on the money advanced.

The revenue for 1928, including principal payment on loans and land sales was $76,086.42, but the net revenue was only $47,085.42, and this does not begin to pay interest on that used on development purposes.

The school situation is one that provides that twelve mills are levied without any regard to the amount required. This twelve mills furnishes only $4,000, while the school costs, without allowing any costs of buildings, are over $9,000. The province, through the Provincial Police, provide all the policing without cost to the residents.

The area is taken out of Point Grey municipality, and is being carried by the Government until such time as the area is prepared to form a municipality of its own.

Then allusion is made to the upkeep of the boulevards with the ornamental lighting system on them, which is carried out with, in many cases, very few residents, or none, on the street.

Instances are given in this connection and College High Road is alluded to as extending the whole width of unit one. There is not a single house on the street, while the improvements alluded to are being kept going, and have been for four years' time. Queens Road has one building, and the same applies. With sixty-nine privately owned places of business and residences after four and a half years of maintenance of these improvements it is found that 183 ornamental lights, and thirty-one acres of boulevard are maintained.

University Boulevard has a double road with all the improvements alluded to, and 29 per cent of these boulevards and lights are on this avenue.

The trouble encountered in connection with the local improvement charges which were set arbitrarily, it is suggested might be altered so as to extend over twenty years from the time of the sale of the lands.

The general taxes placed at ten mills arbitrarily were advertised as an inducement for buying land there. It is suggested that something in the line of taxing a percentage of the improvements might be attempted.

The conditions connected with the selling of lots is shown to work very materially against interests of the Government. The abandonment of the lands left the proposition with very little money out of it. The yearly rental of 6 per cent was reduced by the commission to 5 per cent leaving the fund with only 1 per cent on the abandoned areas, after something nearly approaching two years.

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Russia Becoming Alarmed At Agitation Raised Over Society of Godless Deeds

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the one open is able to hold all who want to worship. In other instances, the churches were open only for choral services one day a week. In still others they opened only at Easter and Christmas time.

The point was that in no place was anyone absolutely prohibited a place to worship.

But when questioned concerning the recent order closing all the churches in the city of Odessa, the Embassy spokesmen here said that they had no information on that.

CAUSING APPREHENSION

It is obvious that the spreading, world-wide agitation against alleged religious persecution in Soviet Russia is giving the Communists considerable apprehension. A moral issue is being prostituted for political purposes, they declare. In particular they blame The London Morning Post, saying that its Conservative supporters are using both God and the Soviets to launch an attack on the British Labor party. Lord Brentwood and Lord Cushendun, they say, are not animated by a sincere desire to protect believers, in God—if they were they would have launched an attack on the Soviet's antireligious campaign when Mr. Stanley Baldwin was in power.

The Pope, they say, wants to get into Russia over the corpse of the old Orthodox Church, which Rome believes to be too weak to survive. And Italian Catholics are turning the churches into cinemas themselves, said the Embassy spokesmen. For proof they produced a newspaper photograph of the Church of St. Ambrogio in Venice, with the note "Sonoro" over its portals. "Sonoro" means talkie.

LONDON FEELS ANXIETY OVER FRENCH VOTE

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of the naval parley and its adjournment until 1935.

When Mr. MacDonald returned to Downing Street he authorized a statement that there was "no truth whatever in the reports." No statement was available from Mr. Stimson, but Mr. Arthur Wilson Page, his aide, issued a denial.

The events of the day indicated the conference will continue along the lines announced when the French were forced to leave London because of their domestic political situation.

Technical experts dealing with special classes of warships wound up their talks at St. James Palace today. The jurists assigned to work connected with the "humanization" of submarine warfare will meet again tomorrow.

RECEPTION HELD

Tonight the entire conference assembly gathered in the Foreign Office buildings in Downing Street for Foreign Minister Henderson's official reception to the delegation. Mr. Henderson received several hundred guests after dinner in the marble halls where state functions were numerous before the war. Mrs. Henderson entertained the wives of delegates with a similar dinner across the way at No. 10 Downing Street, which Prime Minister MacDonald and his daughter, Ishbel, turned over for the purpose.

The Prime Minister was annoyed tonight at the defeatist attitude taken by some sections of the British press. It was to avoid such reports that the delegations decided to adjourn for a week while the French ship of state righted itself. No one here minimizes the seriousness of the situation should M. Chautemps be defeated tomorrow, but reports indicate that he seems assured of a small majority and perhaps a month of life, in which the London negotiations could be concluded.

EXEMPTION OF CHURCH FROM TAXES ASKED

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ing would not be exempt. If it were exempted, owners of any kind of public hall could escape taxation by having it used for public worship one day a week. Only buildings owned by a church were exempt. But that restriction was probably not intended to apply to such a case as that now in question.

FOR AND AGAINST

Alderman Peden held that the present law amounted to this, that a church could not get exemption from taxes unless it were wealthy enough to own the building it worshipped in. He was totally opposed to any exemption of taxes on churches, and was not going to sanction or vote for any measure giving exemption on church properties. He thought they should tax all church buildings.

Alderman Dewar said that the council could not tax church buildings if it wished to do so. The Legislature and the courts had decided that. In the present case, he thought the contention of the United Church was correct. The building to be rented was the property of a church and was to be used by a church for public worship or other religious activities, and not for other purposes during the week. The fact that it was owned by one religious body while another religious body was to worship in it made no difference in principle.

Alderman Mara was opposed to the exemption of property owned by a church if it was used for other purposes also. He thought they should ascertain that the proposed legislative amendment should be drafted so as to prevent what he considered as an abuse of privilege.

VOTE TAKEN

Further discussion followed at the conclusion of which it was moved by Alderman Litchfield, seconded by Alderman Straith, "that we do not oppose the application of the Metropolitan Church trustees."

Alderman Worthington moved in amendment, seconded by Alderman Peden, "that we do oppose the application."

On a vote being taken Aldermen Worthington, Peden and Smith voted for the amendment; and Aldermen Cullin, Straith, Litchfield, Adam, Mara and Dewar for the original motion.

Mountaineers in Snowslide Have Narrow Escape

VANCOUVER, B.C., Feb. 24.—Carried nearly a thousand feet by a snowslide on Crown Mountain, near here, while they and several companion members of the British Columbia Mountaineering Club were on a hiking tour, Mr. Edward Auton and Mr. Harry Sharpies, both of this city, had a narrow escape from death yesterday. Mr. Auton was rendered unconscious and received a severe cut on the head, while Mr. Sharpies escaped with a severe shaking up.

Success of Parley Appears to Depend on Whether U.S. Would Agree to Mediterranean Pact

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During these last few days of the recess, Mr. MacDonald has discussed this question with his Cabinet ministers and leading members of the Admiralty and has come to the conclusion that the vital interests of this country would be permanently menaced if France were to build a big navy and Italy were to follow her example.

MUST IMPLEMENT

After lengthy consultations, the British Prime Minister has come to the conclusion that the principal nations of the world must find an implement for the Kellogg pact and that the only pact which can satisfy France is a Mediterranean Locarno. The Treaty of Locarno has given France almost complete security against an attack from Germany as it has given Germany the assurance that France will not attack her. Thanks to that pact, France has been able to reduce her army from 700,000 to some 450,000 men.

A similar pact in the Mediterranean would enable her to reduce her naval construction to a figure acceptable to Great Britain and indirectly to the United States.

The British ask themselves, what objection can nations which already have agreed to outlaw war have to agree among themselves to prevent any possible aggression in the Mediterranean, which is so important to everybody for commercial purposes? The British are fully aware of the feeling against foreign entanglements in the United States. They say, however, that with natural trade expansion, America will be as much hit during a war in the Mediterranean as any other nation and, consequently, cannot disclaim interest in that sea. The Mediterranean problem, the British say, is as much an American problem as it is British, French or Italian.

MEDITERRANEAN PACT

Mr. MacDonald's idea of a Mediterranean pact is to invite all the nations interested in that great lake to become a party to the treaty. He intends to ask Spain, Greece, Turkey, Bulgaria and eventually Russia to promise solemnly never to use that sea as a scene of battle and to sign a pledge to that effect together with Great Britain, the United States, Japan, Italy and France.

It is in that direction that the British Prime Minister's efforts will be made in the course of the next few days when the negotiations between the five powers are resumed. The American delegation naturally is very cautious and unwilling to discuss this question openly.

I understand, however, that the chief American negotiators believe that there can be no harm in discussing the pact question to see how much of their building programme the French are willing to reduce if the other nations are willing to make the Mediterranean a "safe" sea. In case the French are not willing to make a satisfactory reduction, the onus of preventing an agreement at London would fall upon France.

Japan, Great Britain, the United States and possibly Italy would sign such a treaty, which naturally would not be of much help to the taxpayers in any of these countries.

U.S. MIGHT SIGN

If the French are willing to reduce their building programme substantially, the American delegation might accept and sign a tentative treaty, leaving the American public and Senate to decide whether this move is wise and in keeping with American interests.

It is certain that President Hoover has authorized the United States delegates to "talk pacts." Whether he has authorized them to sign any treaty is a different matter. It all depends on how drastically the navies can be reduced and the effect the matter will have on public opinion in the United States.

ELEVEN DEAD AS MOTOR CAR MAKES CRASH

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and five men, were among 130 passengers aboard a southbound five-car train from Milwaukee to Chicago, which struck Shinner's automobile, which had just escaped being hit by a northbound sixteen-car freight train.

The passenger train, traveling at a high speed, rocked violently for a moment, surviving passengers said, and then left the rails, striking the freight train after the impact, which derailed thirteen of the freight cars.

TRAIN IS DITCHED

The passenger train hurtled to the other side, coming to rest in a ten-foot ditch 125 yards from the crossing. Four of the crushed cars paired up alongside each other in the ditch, while the fifth brought up the rear.

Panic reigned in the darkness of the wrecked cars. The dying and injured moaned and shrieked in pain. Many were trampled by those seeking exits.

Those fortunate enough to escape injury joined with passing motorists in rescue work. This force was augmented a little later by Kenosha police, firemen and ambulance drivers.

Tonight forty-two of the injured were still interned in hospitals.

SIX FATALITIES IN MINING AREA

WALLACE, Idaho, Feb. 24. — A drowning and a mine accident, which claimed two lives today, brought to six in six days the total of actual deaths in the Coeur d'Alene mining region. John Shubert fell 150 feet in the Constitution Mine and was killed, and Gust Erickson, Morning Mine leaser, broke through the ice at Black Lake.



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ENGINEER IS DEAD

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah., Feb. 24.—Mr. Guy Sterling, seventy, widely known Utah and Washington hydraulic engineer and nephew of the late Joseph H. Choate, former Ambassador to England, died at a hospital here yesterday of pneumonia.

SEATTLE, Feb. 24. — Refused work on board of a barge by Henry Finch, diver, today, Edward Newton, an unemployed laborer, shot and perhaps fatally wounded himself near the heart.

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GYROS TOLD OF SHORTER DAYS FOR WORKERS

Labor Member of Legislature Predicts Six and Four-Hour Working Days for Future

ELECTRICITY AND OIL SHUT COAL OUT

"In my belief the unemployed are here to stay, and the situation will get worse," stated Mr. Thomas Uphill, the Labor member for Fernie in the local Legislature, who was the guest-speaker of the Gyro Club at its weekly luncheon in the Empress Hotel yesterday. The public must be educated to this fact, continued the speaker, and the carrying out of more public work during the Winter, even though it was more expensive than the Summer, would be necessary as a measure of relief. A shorter work day was going to be the next consideration, in order to keep the majority of workers employed. The six-hour-day would have to come, and there was a further possibility, if all men were to be employed, of a four-hour day.

The speaker instanced the situation in the coal mining industry. Coal was too cumbersome to compete with oil and electricity, and was doomed to pass unless pulverization proved a success. The coal situation was the same the world over. He could not recall any place where more than three days a week were assured miners the year round. Vancouver Island, seemed to be in the best position of all coal mining centres through a recent amalgamation proposing to foster the manufacture of byproducts.

Many of the recent robberies in Vancouver were attributed to unemployment by Mr. Uphill, and, while not against immigration, he held that the bringing of settlers from Europe to this country contributed to the country's labor problems and tended to reduce wages.

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SEVEN BIDS ARE MADE FOR POWER HOUSE

Atkinson & Dill Are Lowest on Plant and Mechanical Equipment at the Mental Hospital

SYSTEM ADOPTED RECEIVES PRAISE

Praise of the present Government's action in opening in public the tenders on public works was voiced by Mr. John Tucker, past president of the General Contractors' Association, and secretary of the Dominion Construction Company, Limited, when seven bids for building a power house and mechanical equipment at the Mental Hospital, New Westminster, were opened yesterday by Hon. N. S. Lougheed, Minister of Public Work, in his office in the Parliament Buildings.

Mr. Tucker, on behalf of the contractors of the province, expressed their sincere appreciation of the practice inaugurated by the Government. "It is a pleasing thing to come and see the tenders opened in public," he declared.

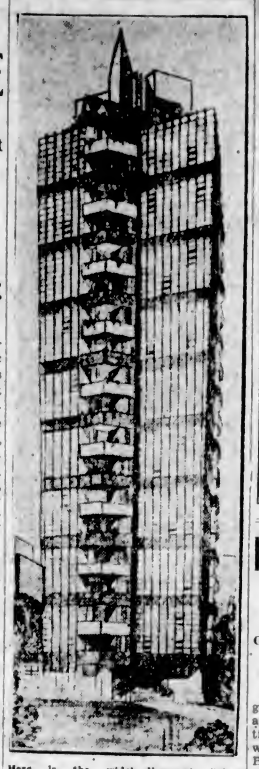
Mr. Lougheed stated that since the Government decided to open the bids in public, it had received the fullest co-operation of the contractors. "We have had no disputes or arguments after the contracts have been awarded, and there is not a single protest on file.

"The Department of Public Works desires to thank the contractors generally for their kindly help in the matter, for without their co-operation the plan could not have worked out as well as it is doing," the minister asserted.

The seven tenders for the power house and mechanical equipment at the Mental Home, which were opened by Mr. Lougheed were as follows: Atkinson & Dill, $115,500; Carter-Halls-Aldinger, $117,700; Thomas Carson, $146,414; E. J. Ryan Contracting Company, Limited, $129,876; Smith Bros. & Wilson, $126,200; Dominion Construction Company, Limited, $123,175, and Pacific Engineers, Limited, $124,425.

The various bids were referred to department officials for report, the minister stating that the contract for the work would be awarded shortly.

Will Mark Revolution in Architecture



Here is the widely-discussed "glass house" which Mr. Frank Lloyd Wright, architect, proposes to erect in the vicinity of St. Marks-in-the-Bowery, New York City. It will rise eighteen stories, with a two-story penthouse. The structure will have walls of clear, heavy plate glass, concrete floors and copper balconies. It will contain no structural steel, the whole building being hung on a core of concrete retaining walls.—(Copyright Architectural Record, Wide World photo.)

TRIAL UNFINISHED

Hearing of evidence began yesterday but was not concluded in the trial of the action brought by Harold H. Thornton, of Saseenos, Sooke, against George R. and Mary Jane Twamley. Plaintiff, who is suing in the Supreme Court before Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald, in April, 1929, entered into an agreement to purchase from the defendants a 160-acre tract of land in the Salmon Arm district, and paid $1,500 down. He is now asking to have the agreement canceled and the money returned on the ground that the representations made to him, on the strength of which he purchased the land, were not true. Mr. C. H. O'Halloran is appearing for the plaintiff and Mr. P. J. Sinnott for the defendant. Hearing is to continue today.

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DISEASE MENACES ISLAND DEER

Game Commissioner Speaks on Bounties, and Their Relation to Predatory Animals

The game department was not getting sufficient returns for the amount of money it spent on bounties paid for cougars and coyotes, was the view expressed by Mr. A. Bryan Williams, game commissioner of British Columbia, when he appeared before the agricultural committee of the Legislature yesterday. While the game department was not satisfied with the returns, he said he would do his best to help if the Department of Agriculture decided to pay bounties.

The matter was raised when the following two resolutions of the advisory board of the Farmers' Institutes were presented to the committee: "That the bounty on cougar be increased in such portions of the province where the amount of the bounty is not reasonably commensurate with the difficulties involved in the destruction of the animals," and "that the bounty of $7.50 on coyotes be restored, the pelts to be surrendered."

Commissioner Williams said that payment of bounties for cougars, coyotes and other animals that take their toll on farms in British Columbia was not considered so effective by the game board as the employment of predatory animal hunters.

Mr. William Harrison, of Kamloops, and Mr. A. B. Smith, of Cranbrook, members of the advisory board, presented the resolutions of the board. Mr. W. E. Stevens, farmer and hunter, of Shuswap Lake, told of the ravages of cougars,



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GRAIN TAKES FIRST PLACE IN INTEREST

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Confidence in the ability of the Wheat Pool to meet its obligations to lending banks, maintenance of its 15 per cent margin and the soundness of its "orderly marketing" policy was reiterated by the premiers of the Western Provinces in a statement issued at Regina Sunday night, states a Canadian Press dispatch.

The financial position of the pool, it is stated, is sound—deposits with the leading banks are in excess of the 15 per cent margin demanded on loans, and operations are being carried on in conformity with the aims and objects of the organization.

Conferring with pool representatives at Regina Saturday, Premiers John Bracken, of Manitoba; J. T. M. Anderson, of Saskatchewan, and J. E. Brownlee, of Alberta, made a survey of the present marketing conditions and drafted uniform legislation covering the guarantees given the banks for the pool three weeks ago. The statement said:

"Uniform legislation was drafted supplementing the guarantee given the lending banks by the Provincial Governments recently and adequately to finance the balance of the crop of 1929."

The guarantee given the banks by the Prairie Governments was that the 15 per cent margin on loans to the Wheat Pool would be maintained. This was a protective measure, taken to assure proper functioning of the pool and to avoid "dumping" wheat at depressed levels.

Prior to the conference, it was again emphasized that there was no cause for alarm over the grain situation as it affects the pool, and the conference described as merely action supplemental to previous measures of protection, to guarantee business stability throughout the West.

The premiers will report conference decisions to the legislatures this week and will follow with the presentation of the uniform legislation, which is assured of speedy adoption, as the opposition members of the provincial Houses already have approved the guarantee granted the banks.

WHEAT POOLS MAKE BIGGEST ASSOCIATION

Central Selling Agency Handles Over Half Canada's Wheat for 140,000 Farmers

ESTIMATED ACREAGE IS NOW 23,000,000

TORONTO, Feb. 24.—There are four wheat pools in Western Canada, the Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta Wheat Pools, and their central selling agency, called the "Canadian Wheat Pool."

The three pools of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are now operating on their second five-year contract period. These have a total membership of approximately 140,000 farmers in the world's greatest non-profit producers' co-operative marketing association. In less than six years the Canadian Wheat Pool has become the leading marketing agency for Canadian wheat, handling more than half of all the wheat sold by Canadian farmers.

The total wheat acreage under crop in Western Canada is estimated at about 23,000,000 acres. More than 15,000,000 acres of this total is already under contract to the wheat pools.

The Canadian Wheat Pool organization is an evolution rather than a revolution in the grain marketing system of Canada. The pioneer farmers of our Canadian West, after they had found out by a long series of experiments, on their farms and at the Dominion Experimental Farms, the varieties of wheat which would give a satisfactory yield of high quality wheat, were faced with the necessity of improving marketing methods if the grain grower was to have any margin above the bare cost of production for his crop.

For more than thirty years, the wheat farmers of the West were engaged in a continuous struggle for some measure of control over the marketing of their grain. In the report of the Royal Grain inquiry, 1925, it is stated that: "Between the year 1897 and the outbreak of the Great War in 1914, thirteen investigations into various departments of the grain trade were held by royal commissions, in some cases appointed by federal and other cases by provincial authority. All of these investigations were prompted by complaints emanating from the producers of grain and they all resulted in the bringing about of at least some beneficial changes in the conditions complained of."

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Car Driven Into Telephone Pole Had Been Stolen

Lyle Trorey, charged with theft of an automobile, the property of Frank Turner, was remanded until Thursday by Magistrate George Jay in the city police court, yesterday, at the request of counsel for the accused, Mr. R. C. Lowe.

Bail being asked for, City Prosecutor C. L. Harrison asked that it be made substantial. The accused was alleged not only to have stolen the car but also to have driven it into a telephone pole, badly wrecking it. He had then, it was further alleged, taken to his heels in an endeavor to escape Motorcycle Officer John Blackstock.

Bail was fixed at $2,000 in two sureties.

John Watson and Jack Broad, charged with vagrancy, were released, the former on bond to appear when called for his own recognizance, and the latter on suspended sentence.

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Gas On Stomach Hated To See Meal Time Coming

Mrs. V. Lesnick, Fort William, Ont., writes:—"My husband suffered with a bad stomach; could not eat at all, but on using four bottles of

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STATES POLICY ON FREE TRADE

Right Hon. Stanley Baldwin Declares It to Be Ideal, But as Yet It is Impractical

By THOMAS T. CHAMPION
Canadian Press Staff Correspondent

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Free trade within the Empire is the Conservative ideal; but it is impossible at the present time. This is Right Hon. Stanley Baldwin's attitude. The leader of the Conservative party, former Prime Minister, issued a statement of Conservative policy today. It gave the attitude of the party to the new United Empire party of Lord Beaverbrook, formed to press the latter's appeal for free trade within the Empire.

"I hold Empire free trade as the ideal for which every Conservative should work," declared Mr. Baldwin. "As a practical policy today, however, it is impossible. No responsible statesman could go to the country and tell the electorate it would be introduced if he were returned to power. It cannot be done. The dominions will not have it. They said so in the clearest terms."

Mr. Baldwin added that within the last few weeks, responsible political leaders in Canada and Australia had stated categorically that free trade within the Empire was impossible.

"In the face of such declarations from Dominion statesmen," Mr. Baldwin declared, "declarations in which there is complete unanimity, no political party in this country can honestly adopt Empire free trade as a platform."

"How much has it cost ye to paint that nose o' yours, Andrew?" impudently asked a wag, pointing to the bulbous and highly-colored proboscis of the village "soak."

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Tuesday, February 25, 1930

DOMINIONS AND NAVAL DEFENCE

A considerable section of public opinion in Australia is disturbed over the course taken by the London Naval Conference. It is realized in the Commonwealth, which has done more than any other Dominion in the matter of its own defence, that for safety against invasion it is dependent on the British Navy. Mr. W. Hughes, the founder of the Australian Party and a former Premier of the Commonwealth, says that his country can only hold her "white" policy because behind her is the great power of the British Empire. As he sees it the Naval Conference is discussing whether Great Britain should reduce her Navy below safety strength, "which really means whether the Empire is to live or die." Once, he says, the Navy is below the safety level Australia cannot claim nationhood or retain her "white" policy. He asks that Australia insist on her voice being heard in Empire counsels, and that it should carry its weight in Empire destinies.

Mr. Latham, the leader of the Opposition in the Australian Parliament, has asked Mr. Scullin, the Prime Minister, to define the Commonwealth's policy. The announcement of still further British naval reductions, he says, has caused a very uneasy feeling. The Opposition wants a statement on the general policy on which the Government is proceeding at the Naval Conference and is not at all satisfied with the course pursued by Mr. Fenton, the delegate representing Australia at the gathering. The major and vital matter of defence and security is being lost sight of in minor drifts of policy. No doubt the same question will be asked at Ottawa, for there is considerable dissatisfaction in this country over a lack of viewpoint which seems to govern the attitude of Canada's representative at the London Conference. It cannot be that he was sent there to act as a mere echo to Mr. Ramsay MacDonald's policy of placing the British Navy on the sacrificial block. Colonel Ralston's position is undoubtedly a delicate one, inasmuch as Canada's naval strength is conspicuous by its absence, but, even so, the Government at Ottawa should entertain some idea of its own on the naval question, or else why have a representative at all in London.

GAMBLING WITH PEOPLE'S MONEY

The Toronto Star gives as a reason for the Prairie Provincial Governments having stepped into the breach and guaranteed the accounts of the Wheat Pool a desire to stop the forced sale of wheat. In other words, it means that the selling of wheat stocks at the time this guarantee was forthcoming would have flooded the market, depressed prices further and paved the way "for one of the greatest financial collapses in Canada's history." On top of what the Prairie Provincial Governments have done in an effort to save the situation an appeal is believed to have gone to the Dominion Government to take over the whole crop now in elevators as was done during the war years. This would be tantamount to putting a portion of whatever loss ultimately may ensue on the backs of the taxpayers.

A leading grain dealer is quoted by The Toronto Star as saying that the present situation is one of the most acute the grain trade has ever faced. He regards the action of the Prairie Provincial Governments as timely because it has delayed the final reckoning, but at best it is only an artificial measure. It may save the situation but the Prairie Governments are gambling with the people's money, and, indeed, in the present instance, taking long chances. Gambling and administration are dangerous allies.

SPORT IN JAPAN

Japan's lack of popular sport was said, as recently as 1912, to be one of the incurable differences between East and West. Some European writers expressed the opinion that a state of society in which young men and women were not interested in physical sport must be unhealthy. One unsympathetic commentator on "Things Japanese," according to The Tokio (Japan) Advertiser, listed this want in Japanese life as one of the country's permanent and fundamental inferiorities. If that critic returned to Japan today he would see a change sufficient to make him appreciate the fallacy of his forecast. Just recently a swimming meet was held on the Tamagawa River, which elicited the praise of all the foreigners who attended it, not only for the high standard of performance but for the spirit of sportsmanship which pervaded it. A schoolboy almost beat a world record at that event, and, of course, he was doing a fine thing, but sport involves losing as well as winning, and the Japanese showed themselves good losers.

It was not so always. When baseball was first introduced into Japan the schoolboys took the game as if it had been a battle, and hissed and howled with rage at any piece of good play which went against their side. Soon, however, they assimilated the spirit as well as the rules of the Western games, and Japanese teams and spectators now take victory and defeat with good sporting feeling. All this took place in a matter of twenty years. It is foolish to take sport as the purpose of life or the only topic of conversation, but it can be a great social educator. It teaches the young the idea of not only how to shoot but how to be shot at. It teaches teamwork; it inculcates the priceless moral lesson that the game is greater than the player; the philosophical truth that the pursuit is sweeter than the prize; the social lesson that to lose gracefully is as admirable as to win brilliantly.

So the Japanese educational authorities are more and more installing teachers whose duties are not to sense injurious thoughts and inculcate safe ones, but rather they want men who are able to combine instruction with the duties of baseball and rowing coaches. In the rapid spread of sport in Japan the social historian will find another evidence of immense social liberation which the Meiji restoration effected. Such sport as existed in Old Japan was almost wholly aristocratic. Polo was played by those who could afford it; fencing was confined to the samurai. Shooting arrows from a galloping horse, the samurai ordori, or mounted warriors' dance, and dog-hunting were all aristocratic amusements, limited to a small section of the warrior class. Wrestling, like prize-fighting, was a sport to be seen, not shared. A visitor to one of the Japanese universities today will see a seat of learning equipped with playing fields; he will find the students engrossed in all kinds of sports as at McGill, Harvard or Oxford. He will see visiting teams regularly coming to Japan from foreign universities to challenge Japanese players, and he will see the Japanese giving a first class account of themselves. Surely these things are helping the Japanese in taking their rightful place in the scheme of modern civilization.

THE DAIRY INDUSTRY

An article in The Canadian Dairy and Ice Cream Journal deals with the petition made by the dairy industry before the Tariff Advisory Board for the readjustment of tariff rates on butter and cheese. The article does not hold out much hope that the present Government at Ottawa will do anything. It says that probably nothing more will be heard of the matter for several months. Ultimately, it is possible, that the subject will reach Parliament in the way of an amendment to the Australasian Treaty; there will be a prolonged debate, and then—"well anything may happen." In the meantime what the dairymen of Canada cannot understand, and never have been able to understand, is why that Treaty was ever extended to include New Zealand. They cannot understand, as well, why, when the Treaty has proved so damaging to one of the most important industries in Canada, some steps have not been taken for amendment or revision. The writer says:

"As Australian butter can only be imported with the dumping duty clause in force against it (owing to the existence of the Patterson scheme for subsidizing exports from Australia) the Canadian dairy industry should at least get the benefit of the protection afforded to it by the duties in force, previous to the Australian Treaty, of 3 cents per pound, under the British Preferential Duty. Under the protection of this duty, the Canadian dairy industry was built up to the point of prosperity it enjoyed up to 1926-7. The year 1927 was the first year in which the dairy industry in Canada first felt the real effects of the Australian Trade Treaty, and each year since, despite the efforts of all protagonists of the Treaty to explain such decline away, the industry has declined more and more seriously. In addition, millions of dollars which should have gone into the pockets of the Canadian dairy farmers have been sent out of the country."

Some electric company engineers have reached the conclusion that a radio programme travels at about 160,000 miles a second. Perhaps there is an error in their computation for why should not radio broadcastings travel at the same rate as light, namely, 193,000 miles a second, thus encompassing the earth in the space of about one-eighth of a second. There is a notable and ordered manner in which Nature dovetails its phenomena, so why should not ethereal waves carry sound as rapidly as light when such sound is projected with set purpose for reception and not merely made at random?

EAST AND WEST

The little eddy in European history caused by the Great War is insignificant compared with the vast upheaval to be observed in China, Japan, Persia, India, Turkey, Egypt. Alsace has changed hands before; the Germany which lost the Great War and signed the Treaty of Versailles is the same Germany which lost the battle of Jena and signed the Peace of Tilsit; there is nothing new in Warsaw being the capital of an independent State, in the problem of German reparations, in M. Poincare's policy, in the question of the Freedom of the Seas, which Mr. MacDonald may be discussing at the Five-Power Conference in January, and which was discussed by Lord North in 1780; every period of European history has had its Mussolini. But in Asia the whole life of millions of men and women is being revolutionized; Governments, traditions, customs, beliefs, a thousand years old, have vanished in less than a generation; we are watching the birth of a new civilization.—Leonard Woolf in The Nation and Athenaeum (London).

The philosophy which affects to teach us a contempt of money does not run very deep.—Sir Henry Taylor.

Know how sublime a thing it is to suffer and be strong.—H. W. Longfellow.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, at 8 p.m., February 24, 1930.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Snow	Min.	Max.
Victoria	--	--	34	47
Nanaimo	--	--	30	43
Vancouver	--	--	36	50
Kamloops	--	--	30	40
Prince George	--	--	24	40
Estevan Point	.08	--	28	44
Prince Rupert	--	--	30	42
Atlin	--	--	2	26
Dawson	--	--	4b	4
Seattle	--	--	36	46
Portland	--	--	34	--
San Francisco	.60	--	46	54
Spokane	--	--	32	42
Los Angeles	--	--	50	64
Penticton	--	--	25	49
Vernon	--	--	23	38
Grand Forks	--	--	22	42
Nelson	--	1.0	26	38
Kaslo	--	--	23	36
Cranbrook	--	--	24	36
Calgary	--	--	18	44
Edmonton	--	--	16	38
Swift Current	--	--	30	32
Prince Albert	--	--	4	--
Qu'Appelle	--	--	14	18
Winnipeg	--	--	6b	8

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; partly cloudy, with frost at night.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; partly cloudy, with frost at night.

MONDAY

Maximum	47
Minimum	34
Average	40
Minimum on grass	29

General state of weather, clear. Bright sunshine, 8 hours 42 minutes.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORT

Victoria—Barometer, 29.99; wind, N., 12 miles; clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.98; wind, W., 4 miles; clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.88; calm; fair.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.02; wind, S., 10 miles; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.10; wind, E., 4 miles; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.98; wind, S.E., 14 miles; fair.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.96; wind, E., 20 miles; clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.96; wind, N.E., 4 miles; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.16; wind, S.E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D

Home, home, home, sweet, sweet home. Be it ever so humble, there is no place like home.

"The time has come for me to say 'good-bye, America, I am going home.' I say it with mixed feelings—a very natural sorrow at parting with many dear friends, but also joy at the prospect of taking my rest, deo volente, for a few years in that beautiful Old Country of mine, that 'precious gem set in a silver sea,' which many of you also love and look to with affection.

"Therefore, as all good things have an end, I wish you good-bye with gratefulness in my heart for all you and your countrymen have done for me, with many happy memories of good days spent over here, and with full confidence that the future relations of our countries will move in a spirit of friendship and understanding so firmly founded that it will be taken for granted, and need never be mentioned or discussed."

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An exile from home, where he was not held in high esteem, John Howard Payne, an American, wrote the song which made him immortal. An exile returning to his home, Sir Esme Howard, an Englishman, Ambassador to the United States, bade farewell to his American friends in a public address, from which the above is a quotation. As we read the speech of the retiring Ambassador, not without feelings of emotion, although cynical newspapermen (or journalists) are popularly supposed to be completely destitute of natural human feelings or emotions, the thought which entered our mind was how well Great Britain has been represented in the United States by her Ambassadors and how well the United States has been represented in Great Britain by her Ambassadors.

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It is greatly to the credit of the two great nations that whatever the politics of the Governments in power, those nations have been worthily served by the persons appointed to represent them at the seats of government. In fact, the Ambassadors very often were more worthy of the people they represented than the Governments were of the people who elected them. That is because an Ambassador has advantages which cannot always be possessed by ministers. The Ambassador in pursuit of his duties in a foreign country mixes with the people, and if he is worthy of his high and responsible post, he learns a great deal about the character, to appreciate the good qualities and to make allowances for the human weaknesses of the people.

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The experience of the late Walter Hines Page, United States Ambassador to Great Britain during the war, with the late W. J. Bryan, and with the late President Wilson, furnished a convincing example of the difference between a national representative who had mixed with the people and knew them and appreciated their position and ministers who knew little or nothing about the circumstances with which they were dealing and were prejudiced against the people wrestling with the circumstances. Mr. Page, who, like several of his ambassadorial predecessors, was an accomplished literary man, left a series of letters which told the world of the difficulties he encountered in his communications with the narrow-minded Wilson and the prejudiced Bryan, who could not appreciate any point of view save that of the local politician. From the beginning of the war the sympathies of Mr. Page were entirely with the Allies.

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From the beginning of the war until the sinking of the Lusitania, which aroused feelings in the United States that could not be ignored, the sympathies of the members of the Wilson administration were on the side of the Germans and any assistance that could be given without actual belligerency was given to Germany. In the end, apparently against its will, certainly with reluctance, the Wilson Government was forced by a storm of public wrath to declare war against Germany.

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We believe the truly eloquent farewell address to the people of the United States of the retiring Ambassador will have a good effect upon the relations of the two nations. And the naval disarmament conference, while it may not accomplish all that could be desired, will have a good ultimate effect, too, because the American representatives at present in England are mixing with the people and making friends amongst them.

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We trust the writer of the following contribution will not be too hard upon us for filing his letter and forgetting all about it until prodded into action:

Dear Sir,—May I as a humble citizen of the world make a suggestion on a topic of world-wide interest now before the five great naval powers sitting in conference in London?

Perhaps at first sight it may seem too optimistic, too fantastic, but if you have patience to read all I have to say, maybe you may change your mind. If, as they protest and affirm, all nations in the world are only longing for eternal and external and everlasting peace, then why not make a mighty big gesture towards that end, viz., that we are willing to scrap all our navies; that we are willing to submit to a conference a scheme that the policing of the seas be put into the hands of two of the great naval powers. Taking it for granted that the whole world is one great family, this matter of policing is a purely a domestic one.

As at present every civilized country has a police force to enforce their domestic laws, so as a great family the world needs a police force on the sea to enforce their domestic laws at sea.

Piracy, gun running, etc., would have a happy time if there were no such force to prevent their activities.

The whole question would then develop itself into one point, viz., who should be given the job of policing the seas?

Obviously the nation or nations, if two were necessary, whose integrity could be counted on as absolute. This would naturally fall on England and America.

Divide the world in two longitudinally. England from half way across the Atlantic on the west and to the twentieth degree on the east.

America to do the same on the west and east. By so doing a great economic saving would be made. There would be no need for submarines, battleships and many other craft now in vogue. The two policing nations would merely have to have a fleet of fast cruisers and airplane carriers.

All other nations would have to pay a pro rata subsidy for this protection for their mercantile fleets.

Until something on these lines comes into being and as long as a series of dickering, bickering and tinkering, such as is going on at present in London, there will never be a true feeling of peace and security throughout the world.

If England were asked to take on the job with America, I feel sure her answer would be: "We've got the ships, we've got the men, and we've got the money, too, and with God's help will see the matter through."

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaelis

A DREAM COME TRUE

How it lightens and brightens life's every phase,
The gleam of the dream we prize,
How it sheds a glow through the tangled maze,
How it strengthens and satisfies!

Just to know when plodding home at eve,
While the West is gold and red,
We are nearing the Port of Make-Believe,
Where a dream waits just ahead.

This is joy enough, but ah, what bliss
When the will-o'-the-wisp with its wiles
Is a dream come true, like a friend we kiss
Who sits by our hearth and smiles!

There is many a joy on this spinning earth
Which with eagerness we pursue,
But no other joy that has half the worth
Of the joy of a dream come true!

Tides at Victoria

FEBRUARY

Date	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't
	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
1	7:00	8.4	11:06	7.5	14:20	8.0	22:54	2.8
8	7:08	8.2	11:58	7.1	15:21	7.4	23:23	2.5
3	7:21	8.2	12:54	6.4	16:36	6.6	23:45	2.4
4	7:32	8.3	13:51	5.7	18:00	6.3	23:58	2.2
5	7:28	8.5	14:48	4.9	21:08	6.0	22:20	2.0
6	7:48	8.8	15:43	2.8				
7	7:58	8.9	16:43	2.0				
8	8:28	9.7	17:08	2.1				
9	9:15	9.9	18:26	1.4				
10	10:13	10.0	18:18	0.9				
11	11:14	10.0	18:58	0.6				
12	8:05	8.6	7:20	8.4	12:12	8.8	20:36	0.7
13	8:15	8.4	8:20	7.7	13:10	9.4	21:20	1.2
14	8:25	8.4	9:34	7.0	14:11	8.9	22:00	1.8
15	8:40	8.3	10:31	6.8	15:15	8.2	22:40	2.9
16	8:50	8.2	11:39	5.4	18:21	7.0	23:18	4.0
17	9:20	8.5	12:35	4.8	18:16	7.7	23:30	5.2
18	8:44	8.5	12:40	4.2	20:07	8.4		
19	0:09	8.8	7:08	8.7	13:45	3.7		
20			7:27	8.7	15:48	2.3		
21			7:45	8.2	18:47	0.9		
22			8:05	8.7	17:41	2.6		
23	4:48	8.8			18:28	0.4		
24	4:54	8.8	9:16	8.5	9:34	8.8	19:08	3.3
25	5:05	8.7	9:80	8.2	10:58	8.3	18:45	2.2
26	5:18	8.4	8:42	7.8	11:52	8.2	20:16	2.2
27	5:12	8.1	8:58	7.4	12:41	8.1	20:58	2.2
28	8:05	7.8	8:21	8.8	18:29	8.0	21:21	2.6

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock at any tide, add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock add 80 feet to the height of high water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

FEBRUARY, 1930

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1930.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	7:44	5:10	15	7:31	5:24
2	7:42	5:11	16	7:19	5:26
3	7:41	5:13	17	7:17	5:28
4	7:39	5:15	18	7:15	5:30
5	7:37	5:17	19	7:14	5:36
6	7:36	5:18	20	7:13	5:41
7	7:24	5:20	21	7:11	5:42
8	7:33	5:22	22	7:09	5:44
9	7:21	5:24	23	7:07	5:46
10	7:29	5:26	24	7:05	5:47
11	7:27	5:27	25	7:03	5:49
12	7:26	5:29	26	7:01	5:51
13	7:24	5:31	27	6:59	5:52
14	7:23	5:32	28	6:57	5:54

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

FEBRUARY, 1930

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria for the month of February, 1930.

	Rises	Sets
1	8:17 a.m.	8:17 p.m.
2	8:52 a.m.	8:25 p.m.
3	9:45 a.m.	10:24 p.m.
4	10:03 a.m.	11:45 p.m.
5	10:21 a.m.	.....
6	10:47 a.m.	0:59 a.m.
	(First Quarter on 6th)	
7	11:10 a.m.	2:17 a.m.
8	11:46 a.m.	3:37 a.m.
9	12:40 p.m.	4:58 a.m.
10	1:49 p.m.	6:00 a.m.
11	..:11 p.m.	6:52 a.m.
12	4:40 p.m.	7:31 a.m.
13	6:08 p.m.	8:00 a.m.
	(Full Moon on 13th)	
14	7:35 p.m.	8:23 a.m.
15	8:54 p.m.	8:42 a.m.
16	10:13 p.m.	9:00 a.m.
17	11:20 p.m.	9:18 a.m.
18	.....	9:37 a.m.
19	6:44 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
20	1:05 a.m.	10:27 a.m.
	(Last Quarter on 20th)	
21	2:06 a.m.	11:01 a.m.
22	3:06 a.m.	11:44 a.m.
23	4:01 a.m.	12:36 p.m.
24	4:45 a.m.	1:37 p.m.
25	5:18 a.m.	2:42 p.m.
26	5:44 a.m.	3:51 p.m.
27	7:06 a.m.	5:00 p.m.
28	7:24 a.m.	6:08 p.m.
	(New Moon on 28th)	

Note.—These times are correct to within one or two minutes. The Meteorological

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

PERMANENT MEMORIAL

Sir, — The suggestion of Mr. George C. Mannix, in his letter to The Colonist newspaper of February 20, that a mountain in British Columbia should be named after Miss Helen Mackenzie is a very timely one, but we should not forget the names of some other gracious ladies and gentlemen who have held responsible positions at Government House. Some of the pioneers of this large and splendid province could also be remembered when some of the mountains and hills are named. Those of use who have lived here for many years could mention the names of people who could be honored in such a suitable way.

THOMAS LOWE.

16 Bushby Street, Victoria, B.C., February 22, 1930.

THE FRENCH VIEWPOINT

Sir,—Your recent editorial under the above heading, contained such an extraordinary revelation of the hidden French diplomatic mentality which is behind their seemingly extravagant demands at the London Conference, that one of your readers is moved in today's Colonist to an expression of gratitude and admiration at your ability to interpret the mysteries of European diplomacy.

As a reader of the said editorial, who feels nothing but regret at your excursion into such perilous waters, I beg to offer you my opinion in exchange for yours.

Your ill-advised attack on the American journalistic fraternity by impugning their veracity and accusing them of framing their news to serve ulterior motives, your manner of belittling the importance of citations from French journals like Le Temps and Le Matin, gives you a fair lead to your insinuation that the MacDonald Government is at the root of all evil by not demanding much more in order to make the French demands appear more reasonable.

Let me first of all disabuse your mind concerning the lack of ethics from which you suspect the journalistic fraternity to suffer. Journalists, representing foreign newspapers in European capitals, must by necessity be men of some social standing and culture in order to enable them to meet with the people who create, or have the news they are looking for; besides, it is obvious that a newspaper paying the expense account of a correspondent in a foreign capital, expects to get news based on facts, and not fiction, which could be manufactured at home at greatly reduced cost.

Your views on the ethics of American newspapermen are on a par with the familiar cry by French journalists of "perfidious Albion," and have as much foundation in fact.

The two French newspapers quoted by the American reporters in connection with the London Conference, are Le Temps and Le Matin, and they are far from being as unimportant as you imagine them to be; in fact, they are considered to be the mouthpiece of the French Government and the only journals worth quoting at cable rates.

The key to the European diplomatic practice you will find in the collected editorials by the late King Solomon, from which you may gather that the ways of diplomacy that were, are still and shall be, that we humans are hopeless and incurable fools, working our own destruction with submarines, guns and battleships, lest by some miracle, a ray of wisdom from above should make us see our folly and lead us into new ways.

A. KOHOUT,

Sooke, B.C., Feb. 22, 1930.

PENSIONS AND WAR VETERANS

Sir,—In Sunday's issue of The Colonist, Mr. F. A. Hector Fink pays a splendid tribute to Sir Arthur Currie and a war veterans' convention, giving them credit for the Government's intention to open the question of veterans' needs at the present session of Parliament.

It may interest veterans to know this had reference to Sir Arthur Currie, grand president of the Canadian Legion, and the Dominion convention of that organization, held in Regina last November. Representation made to the Government by Sir Arthur Currie and the Dominion Command, following the convention, has led to Governmental action.

All veterans should know that the Canadian Legion maintains a service bureau at Ottawa for the purpose of preparing and presenting veterans' claims to the proper departments. Experts who attend to particular branches of this service are employed to give their whole time to the work.

The Canadian Legion gives service to all veterans without consideration of membership. And in order to enable the bureau to function with the maximum of efficiency, the Federal Government pays to the Canadian Legion a sum equal to that spent on the service bureau by the Legion, up to the amount of $10,000 a year.

The Canadian Legion is Dominion-wide; it is the Canadian section of the British Empire Service League, and has a permanent staff in the Ottawa office, where it is always on the job serving veterans and dependents of Canada and the Empire.

H. W. HART.

509 Oliver Street, Victoria, B.C., February 24, 1930.

"ON TO THE PEACE!"

Sir,—It is gratifying that the promises made by the Dominion Government along the lines of Better Terms, have at last been fulfilled. The better terms promised Vancouver Island by the McBride Government have not been fulfilled. When the great railway programme for the province was launched by that Government, every resident on this Island expected a fair deal. Up to date more than $50,000,000 have been used in railway construction, not one dollar of which has been devoted to this Island.

I am not referring to Dominion Government expenditures. It is solely to provincial I refer; nor do I wish to condemn either political party. It is not politics but justice I am after.

We now have an excellent opportunity wherein a most convincing argument can be used to gain lost ground and, at the same time, secure our rights. To swallow up the full benefit or part of the "windfall" that has come to us by using it in dragging the P.G.E. out of the hole without those on the Island receiving at least a fair share, will be most unjust. To suggest the building of the West Coast Road, which is really only the crumbs from the table, and should have been finished years ago, is no compensation whatever for the non-fulfilling of the McBride railway programme. A sum sufficient or lands sufficient to build the Seymour Narrows bridges as one portion of the Island's share, and compensation should be put up to the Government at once. Our Chamber of Commerce should move in the matter before the advantages of the Better Terms granted by the Dominion Government are made use of for less useful undertakings.

The language employed by that great man, the Hon. Frank Oliver, of Alberta: "The building of the Seymour Narrows bridge is of national importance," should not be lost sight of.

R. T. WILLIAMS.

934 View Street, Victoria, B.C., February 24, 1930.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of February 25, 1880)

The old buildings which have occupied the southwest corner of Broad and Johnson Streets since 1866 are to be removed for a modern brick building.

Mr. Henry Fowler, formerly in the civil service of the Colony of Vancouver Island, is now Colonial Secretary of British Honduras. He has just conducted an exploration into the interior of that country.

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CANBERRA, Feb. 24.—Six thousand young cherry trees have been sent to the Australian national botanic gardens here by Prince Takamatsu of Japan, in recognition of the welcome given to him when he visited Australia in July of last year with the Japanese training squadron.

Maladministration Charged In University Lands Area

Minister of Education Is Critical of Method of Handling Endowment Lands at Point Grey, Leading to Pyramiding of Indebtedness

The Opposition in the Legislature, which has been demanding production of documents was presented yesterday with the report and the interim report covering the affairs of the University Endowment Lands. This matter was under review by Mr. A. N. Daykin, of Vancouver, and reveals a rather alarming condition of affairs in connection with the lands.

The interim report states that the commissioner found that in some instances work was done on private property, and charged up to the endowment lands funds. The report further sets out that there was far from being proper economy in connection with the conduct of affairs, but the main report goes further, and puts forward the danger that the scheme as carried out, will never provide anything to afford endowment to the University, or to anything else. It would appear from the report that the scheme is wrong in principle, and nonremunerative. Not only this but it is destined to be a bill of expense to the country unless some solution can be found to rectify the errors to which the late government apparently committed the province.

The matter came before the Legislature yesterday on adjourned debate on the resolution of Mr. A. M. Manson, asking for return of all papers connected with any commissions appointed by the Government.

The interim report of Mr. Daykin alludes to the work done on private property at Government expense, and instances particularly that done on the golf course leased to Mr. F. M. Ballard. There was expended some $8,802.83 on this property. Major H. L. McPherson, who was in charge admitted that the money was spent, but declared that he thought it was a proper course.

DEBATE IN HOUSE

Hon. R. H. Pooley, in resuming the debate, alluded to the resolution to which not much objection could be taken if certain documents were withheld for sufficient reason. He accordingly moved an amendment to add "unless deemed detrimental to the public interest."

Hon. J. Hinchliffe, speaking to the main resolution, proposed to explain why certain reports should not be tabled. He quoted as an example the report on the University Endowment Lands. As a result of information from Mr. C. A. Pope, a commission was issued to inquire into the matter. Its object was to find out if there ever was to be any money for the University. Mr. Pope's report indicated that it was improbable that any money would be available.

WHAT WAS DISCOVERED

The commissioner started work on May 22, 1929, and made an interim report on June 22, feeling it necessary to act at once because certain work had been done on private property which had been paid for by the Government. This had been done by the head gardener and other employes, and charged to the University Endowment Lands. They had apparently worked on the grounds of Major MacPherson, who was in charge. The major defended this action on the ground that the estate was a show place, and well worth while to put it in order. Restitution as far as possible was obtained, the minister said.

The employees working on the land obtained wood.

The supervising engineer of the work had some placed in his cellar, it appeared.

The minister then dealt with the work on the private golf course. There was nothing in the report to show that Major MacPherson had personally appropriated any of the money. He had testified that he was under the impression that the money was to be spent on the course, and perhaps there was some excuse for the position taken. The vouchers sent to Victoria, however, showed work done on unit two, while in other vouchers the expenditures were shown to be on unit three.

In answer to Mr. Manson, Hon. F. P. Burden denied that a similar system with vouchers had been continued since.

Mr. Hinchliffe added that Major MacPherson had explained that if this were not done, the accounts would not be passed. He attached blame to Major MacPherson for issuing incorrect vouchers.

RENT OF GOLF COURSE

The former Government had entered into negotiations to rent the golf course for $1 a year, while the present Government was leasing it for $1,800 per annum.

On the day that the commissioner reached Vancouver, Mr. Hinchliffe said, work was stopped on the golf course. Major MacPherson assumed responsibility for this action. It was shown he was carrying on at the same time a large private practice. It was submitted that such work was done in his own time, and that Government employees who worked for him did so out of business hours.

CALLS FOR MONEY

The university, said the minister, was constantly calling for more money. It became important, therefore, to know what was to be got out of university endowment lands. The report showed that there was charged against the endowment lands $6,607,000. This amounted to $3,398 per acre, with interest charges of $330,000 per annum.

Mr. Manson asked if the capital charges of the university were to be paid in any part from the endowment lands.

Mr. Hinchliffe said he did not know what the intentions were, but the act called for it.

Mr. Manson disputed this statement, but the minister adhered to his view. The latter went on to show that the charges were increasing, and at the end of the year totaled $6,925,000. The endowment lands, if sold, would not be worth what the Government owed the university, Mr. Hinchliffe said.

A letter was sent on April 1, 1920, to Dr. MacLean by the Comptroller-General, in which he considered that the plan proposed was not likely to pay its way. The scheme of the university president, and Mr. Creer, the Comptroller-General warned, was such that more careful investigation was necessary to prevent embarrassment later.

The minister said the then Minister of Lands, Mr. Pattullo, went ahead, without paying attention to this warning.

He challenged a statement made by Mr. Pope, in his report, that in January, 1929, the endowment lands were carrying themselves.

In answer to a question from the Opposition leader, Mr. Hinchliffe said a plan might be found under which the province might extricate itself from this dilemma with a loan of something like $5,000,000. The situation was getting worse all the time, he emphasized.

He criticized the withdrawal of the university area from the Municipality of Point Grey by the former Minister of Lands. There was, said Mr. Hinchliffe, a 1 per cent special tax, and a 10 per cent general tax, but there was no allowance for the collection of taxes. The province also policed the areas.

VALHALLA CEMETERY

Dealing with the Valhalla cemetery, the contract for which the minister said, was so unpopular that Mr. Pattullo canceled it.

Mr. Pattullo, interrupting, said that the contract would not have been canceled if Mr. Maloney had not come to his office and asked him to cancel it.

"And the records show that Mr. Maloney received $1,200 in connection with the cancellation," returned Mr. Hinchliffe, amid applause.

The minister said he could see no advantage to be gained from the production of a report which showed the cynical carelessness and gross incompetence of the late Minister of Lands.

The report, he said, showed foolish trust in his own ability by the ex-minister, which had thrust upon the province a loss which it was impossible to estimate fully.

If the whole of the land, Mr. Hinchliffe said, were sold it would not repay what the people of the province had spent on the university. It could not be hoped to pay.

He moved the adjournment of the debate.

Mr. A. Pantages Taken Ill With Attack of Heart

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 24.—Restoratives were administered to Mr. Alexander Pantages, multi-millionaire showman in jail here, following a heart attack today. Dr. Benjamin Blank, county physician, said. Mr. Pantages was in great pain and was so weakened he could not arise.

The wealthy theatre owner was sentenced to a term of one to fifty years for attacking Eunice Pringle, co-ed dancer.

Dies at Montreal

Word of the death of Mr. Sidney P. Porter, a resident of Colquitz for ten years, was received from Montreal yesterday. He is survived by a son in Saskatchewan and a widow at Montreal.

Leaving here three years ago Mr. Porter was for a time in the service of the Saskatchewan Government, later proceeding to Quebec, where up to the time of his death he served in the industries department of the Canadian National Railway. While residing here he was a prominent member of the Christian Science Church.

Police of Montrose, Scotland, have volunteered to supply clothing to destitute children of the city.

OVERSEAS CHAPLAIN AT CITADEL TODAY

Commandant Carroll, O.B.E., who is leading special meetings at the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street, for two weeks, gave an address last night on "The House of Israel's Four Rejections." He will continue these interesting topics every night except Friday. Tonight's subject will be "The Greatest Miracle of Ancient and Modern Times," and those following, "Why Britain Could Not Be on the Losing Side in the World's War," "Are We in the Last Days?" and "Is the Naval Conference a Sign of the Times?"

The meetings are bright and interesting with plenty of singing, the commandant's addresses are up to the minute in facts, and his explanations of the Bible prophesies are clear and instructive. He has been pleased to meet several returned soldiers at the citadel, who knew him when an overseas chaplain. The meetings are all open to the public, which commence nightly at 8 o'clock, with a prayer meeting preceding at 7:30 o'clock.

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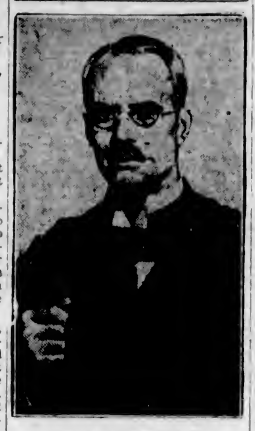
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Obituary

McMAHON — The funeral of Thomas Robert McMahon, who passed away on February 21 at St. Joseph's Hospital, was held yesterday afternoon from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Relatives and friends attended the service, which was conducted by the Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson, D.D. Many flowers covered the casket and the hymns sung were "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." The pallbearers were Messrs. A. E. Ross, J. Love, J. Ridell and E. Cruickshanks. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

STEVENS—The funeral of Emily Stevens, who passed away on Saturday, will be held on Wednesday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. Arthur de B. Owen will officiate and the remains will be laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

WATSON—The remains of George Fraser Watson are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson will officiate. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

MURISET—There passed away at the residence, 428 Menzies Street, on Sunday, Rose Muriset, widow of the late Charles Muriset, aged seventy-nine years, born in Switzerland and a resident of Victoria for the past forty years. She leaves one daughter, Miss Alice Muriset in Victoria, and one son, Frederick Muriset, of Palo Alto, California. The remains are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will take place in Royal Oak Burial Park.

RICHARDS—The death occurred at his residence, 648 St. Patrick Street, on Sunday, of Richard Richards, a resident of Victoria for the past two years, aged seventy years, and born in Monmouth, England. He is survived by his widow, two daughters, and one grandson. The remains are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, where funeral services will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 3:15. Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell will officiate. The interment will take place on Thursday morning at 10:30 in Royal Oak Burial Park. It is requested no flowers be sent.

LAMBETH—There passed away at the family residence, 921 Lodge Avenue, Saanich, on Sunday, February 23, Margaret Lambeth, wife of William Lambeth, aged sixty-six years, born in Perth, Ontario, and a well-known resident of Victoria for the past sixty years. She is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. H. Sayers, of Vancouver, B.C., and Mrs. D. Platner, of Everett, Wash.; three sons, Earnell W. Lambeth and Robert Lambeth, both of Seattle; and Fred K. Lambeth, of Port Alberni. The remains are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

McKECHNIE — There passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday evening, Malcolm McKechnie, aged seventy-three years, of 2279 Dalhousie Street, Oak Bay. Mr. McKechnie was born in Scotland and had resided here for two years. He is mourned by two daughters, Mrs. N. McLean, of Vancouver, B.C., and Miss Margaret McKechnie, at home, and three sons, Frank and Peter, of Victoria, and David, in California. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home. Rev. G. C. F. Pringle will conduct the service, after which interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

CARMICHAEL — Funeral service for Mr. Alex. Campbell Carmichael, who passed away in this city on Friday evening, February 21, will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the parlors of the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Rev. James Hood will officiate, and interment will be made in the family plot at the Royal Oak Burial Park.

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Battery plates: 300, Northern Electric Co., $300. Cable: 1,500 feet, 14-conductor, Northern Electric Co., $425.36.

Firemen's uniforms: J. H. Herman, $2,652; Fyvie Bros., $168.

Car for deputy chief: Jameson Motor Co., Dictator Six, $1,200 and old car traded in.

Recommended by the Public Works committee: Lead strips, A. Sheret, Limited, $131.03; mild steel bands, Evans, Coleman & Evans, $252; copper bands, J. E. Casson, $515.

Tenders for the printing and binding of the city's annual report were opened at the meeting, and the contract was awarded to the Victoria Printing & Publishing Company, at the price of $4.50 per page with the lump sum of $17.50 added for additional school reports.

ENGINEER'S WORD CONTROLS TRAIN

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GOVERNMENT MEN ASK MORE MONEY

Amalgamated Civil Servants Are After $100 Minimum Salary

In their efforts to secure a minimum salary of $100 for Dominion civil servants, Mr. Harold Baker, president of the Amalgamated Civil Servants, and Mr. Fred Knowles, secretary, have sent the following letter to Mr. D. B. Plunkett at Ottawa:

"Dear Sir,—During the 1929 session of the House of Commons a series of communications was issued to all members of the Federal Parliament by this organization, dealing with the question of granting to all full-time adult male employees of the Dominion civil service a minimum salary of $100 per month.

"As a result of this campaign in quest of this objective, some very enlightening statistics were revealed, and newspaper comment from one end of the country to the other was in nearly every instance favorable towards our plea.

"You are well aware that no legislation granting the minimum salary mentioned has, as yet, been promulgated, and so we propose to continue our campaign in the interests of those civil servants who are trying to exist on less than $1,200 per annum.

"A return tabled in the House of Commons on April 24, 1929, showed that there were no less than 3,779 full-time adult male civil servants receiving salaries lower than $1,200 per annum.

"According to two other returns that were brought to our notice, it was stated that there were approximately 40,000 civil servants in the employ of the Dominion Government during 1928.

"So, bearing in mind the above two sets of statistics, one arrives at the conclusion that a little over 9 per cent of the Federal civil service are full-time adult male employees who are in receipt of salaries below $100 per month.

"As one newspaper editorially stated on April 9, 1929: 'The question of salaries in the service is an important one for the whole country. Governments come and go, but the greater part of the actual work of running the public service is done by the permanent (and, we might add, the temporary) staffs. The efficiency of this army of workers is a matter of moment to every citizen. To underpay employees is certainly not the way to secure diligent and faithful work from them. The Government could accede to that request without making a noticeable dent in the revenue surpluses of the finance department.'

"We ask for your wholehearted support in our efforts to obtain something approaching a living wage for these deserving employees, and we propose to submit, as in the past, periodical letters dealing with this and other phases of the salary question as it affects the civil service of Canada."

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NOTED LAWYER DIES

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Capt. A. G. Thompson, who made the first nonstop flight to Regina from Winnipeg Sunday, returned to Stevenson Field here tonight. He left at 4:15 p.m., Winnipeg time, and arrived here at 8:44 p.m., reporting an uneventful flight. The distance by air from Winnipeg to Regina is 330 miles.



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A vigorous protest against any attempt to limit or curtail the liberties of the subject in regard to the right of the individual to own his own body, and to refuse or accept such form or forms of medical treatment as he may desire, was registered last night by 500 members of the Medical Liberty League, at a rousing rally held in the Progressive Thought Temple, Pandora Street.

A resolution to the above effect, sponsored by Mr. Albert Griffiths, and seconded by Mrs. Marshall, was carried unanimously, and will be forwarded to the members of the Provincial Legislature now in session here.

The league recorded a strong protest against the proposed amendment to the Medical Act standing in the name of Dr. L. E. Borden, M.P.P. for Nelson, and imposing penalties upon those who contravene the proposed amendment, and the Legislature will be advised of the views of the meeting. This motion was moved by Captain B. J. Gadsden, and seconded by Miss Kitto.

A resolution moved by Mr. Frederick Oliver, and seconded by Miss A. Fenton, that "this meeting requests the members of the Legislature to place upon the statute books an act legalizing the practice of drugless physicians, as introduced at this session," also received hearty approval.

The meeting expressed its firm opposition to any attempt to force or coerce or persuade teachers and pupils at any of the public schools, or at the University of British Columbia, to undergo vaccination or inoculation, and that all teachers and pupils should be informed that vaccination or inoculation is not compulsory. Mr. E. D. Love sponsored this motion, which was seconded by Mrs. L. Shrimpton.

To protect the rights of citizens in all matters appertaining to medical treatment, the Medical Liberty League was formed last night by the meeting. The resolution bringing the organization into existence was moved by Mr. E. H. Hallsor, Sr., and seconded by Mr. W. B. Pease, and, like all the other resolutions, passed unanimously.

Alderman Eugene S. Woodward, who presided as chairman, announced that in all probability a further protest meeting would be held next Sunday afternoon in the Royal Victoria Theatre.

The large audience which crowded the Progressive Thought Temple to the doors last night enthusiastically acclaimed the many verbal attacks launched by various speakers against the actions of the medical profession in respect to legislation being sought at the session of the Legislature.

SAYS LEAGUE NECESSARY

Alderman Woodward said "we're here to support personal liberty as against medical autocracy." He asserted that an organization such as the Medical Liberty League was essential to safeguard the personal liberty of the citizens against the efforts of the medical profession to secure restrictive legislation.

The speaker told of the great benefit which Dr. J. S. Plaskett, eminent Canadian scientist, and members of his family had received from the services of a drugless physician. "We are told that we common people can't think out such problems for ourselves, yet we find such an outstanding man in the scientific world as Dr. Plaskett supporting our cause."

Dr. A. F. Barton said that the meeting was making history, and he hoped that it would be but the first of many such meetings that would be held in many places throughout British Columbia.

The speaker considered that the right of the individual to the choice of healing methods should be legalized. "Legislation ought to be the will of the people, but I cannot feel that it is indeed so, for if it were, such a meeting as is being held tonight would not be required." He praised Alderman Woodward's labors in connection with the fight being waged by the drugless physicians for the right to incorporate and regulate the activities of their profession.

EVER-PRESENT PROFESSION

Dr. Barton asked his hearers if they had considered the powers of the medical men. "You have to have a doctor when you are born, and you have to have one when you die. You have to have one when you take out insurance, and you may soon have to have one before you get married. If the services of these medical doctors are so excellent, there would be no need today of their campaign to strengthen their control."

Mr. G. B. Kitto charged that organized medicine was carrying on a conspiracy, not only in this province and Dominion, but in the United States as well. There was a campaign by the medical clique to attain power and thereby make money for themselves individually. He declared that there was a close co-operation between the medical clique and the manufacturers of serum, and that the serum business was exceptionally profitable. He said, amid applause, that no medical man or public health official should be permitted to own stock in any serum companies.

RIGHT OF INDIVIDUAL

The speaker alluded to the rights given by the Magna Carta, and protested emphatically against any attempt to interfere with the right of the individual citizen to go to whom he chose in respect to obtaining treatment for his or her health. He asked members of the audience to communicate at once with members in the Legislature and express their objections to any restrictive legislation.

Mr. W. E. Peirce claimed the right to choose any form of healing that he desired, and that "if the course I take causes me to cash in a little earlier, that is my business. I claim a like privilege for all of us."

The speaker championed the cause of personal liberty and steadfastly maintained that the medical profession had no right whatever in trying to make it prohibitive for the individual to seek treatment from any other healers but themselves.

MORE LIBERTY WANTED

Captain H. S. Thain, M.C., said that the people of British Columbia wanted less legislation and more liberty. The rights given by the Magna Carta were being gradually "filched away." "Any resolutions that may be passed by this meeting cannot be made too strong for me," he said.

"The prevention of the selection by the citizens of medical aid is a restriction on personal liberty," he declared. He supported Mr. Kitto's suggestion that citizens express their protests to members of the House in regard to restrictive legislation, and would go farther than that. "Let us see how the members vote on these matters, and resolve that at the next election we will no vote for those who support such legislation irrespective of party politics."

The speaker predicted that the people of Nelson would "take care of Doctor Borden at the next election, and he will receive what he deserves."

City & District

To Attend Convention—It is announced that Mr. J. D. Galloway, provincial mineralogist, will attend the annual meeting of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy at Toronto, March 5 to 7.

Tribute Paid—By a standing and unanimous vote the City Council last night ordered that a letter of regret and condolence be sent to the family of the late Mr. George F. Watson, former Reeve of Saanich.

Japanese Injured—Two Japanese employees of the Kapoor Lumber Company, Sooke, are at the St. Joseph's Hospital following injuries sustained while at work. Salichira Aoki has a broken left ankle, while M. Higo is believed to have a crushed pelvis bone. Dr. George Hall is attending them.

Tax Free—Giving an off-hand answer to a question addressed to him last night in the City Council, Comptroller D. A. Macdonald estimated the total amount of church property in the city exempt from taxation at a value of more than $1,000,000.

Promotion for Lieut.-Col. Foster—Militia orders posted at the Department of National Defence, Ottawa, announce the promotion of Lieut.-Col. Foster to the full rank of colonel. He will command the Twenty-Third Infanty Brigade at Vancouver.

Mr. J. Bull Selected—The Saanich Police Commission met last night at Royal Oak for the purpose of making a final decision in connection with the appointment of a police constable, Mr. J. Bull, who resides in Ward Five, on Giles Crossroad, being the board's choice.

Sooke Lake Survey—The city engineer has been authorized to make the necessary arrangements with Mr. A. O. Noakes, surveyor, for a continuation of the topographical survey of Sooke Lake. The sum of $3,000 is provided in the city estimates for this work.

Change Is Appreciated—As far as can be judged on one day's test, the improvement in the schedule of B.C. Electric Railway cars on the Esquimalt line during the day hours is much appreciated by the residents. The peak period from 5 o'clock onwards yesterday showed a heavy travel, considerably in excess of recent experience.

Is Guest of Honor—Col. Lorne Drum, D.M.O., of Military District No. 11, was the guest of honor at the dinner meeting at the 18th Field Ambulance headquarters, Vancouver, Saturday evening. About forty attended the gathering, which served as the annual meeting of the Association of Officers of the Medical Service of Canada. Members must be medical officers who served overseas.

Project Revived—The erection of cluster lights on Menzies Street from the C.P.R. docks to Superior Street, thus lighting up the west side of the Parliament Buildings, was advocated by Mr. J. E. Barr in a letter to the City Council read last night, the proposal being that the Provincial Government should be asked to contribute to the cost. The letter was referred to the public works committee.

Demand for Hops—The Canadian incorporation of John I. Hass, which is widely known in the Pacific Northwest, and has its British Columbia hop fields at Sardis, near Chilliwack, is making satisfactory progress, according to Mr. Hass, of Washington, D.C., who is registered at the Empress Hotel, after a visit to the Fraser Valley. The firm has a considerable business with Canadian brewers.

Question of Privilege—On a question of privilege, Mr. A. M. Manson explained his position relative to the subject of liquor before the Legislature yesterday. His position, he contended, had been misrepresented in an editorial in a Vancouver paper. It arose, he said, over a casual remark made by him in committee on the Vancouver Bill with regard to licensing of liquor houses. The matter was not discussed. He felt that he had a right to raise objection to being represented as in support of something to which he had always been opposed. He had always voted in favor of prohibition.

HUNDREDS SEE INSPECTION OF MILITIA UNIT

Brigadier-General J. Sutherland Brown Reviews 1st Batt. (C.E.F.) Canadian Scottish

COMPLIMENTS UNIT ON GOOD SHOWING

With the galleries overhead crowded to capacity, the annual inspection of the 1st Battalion, the Canadian Scottish Regiment, was carried out at the Armories, Bay Street, last night by Brigadier-General J. Sutherland Brown, C.M.G., D.S.O. The parade strength of the battalion was 325 all ranks, the greatest number since the days of the Great War.

From 7:30 o'clock until almost 11 o'clock there was a hum of activity in the spacious Armories. Officers and non-commissioned officers were giving orders with the snap and vim of well-trained soldiers; platoons were being given their preliminary inspection by their officers, which was followed by the inspection of Colonel D. B. Martyn, officer commanding. With this part of the work completed the battalion lined up in review order awaiting the arrival of the reviewing officer.

On the stroke of 8 o'clock the inspecting party, which in addition to the general included Colonel J. L. R. Parsons, G.S.O., and Lieutenant-Colonel Gilman, A.A.G., arrived. Immediately they entered the troops came to the general salute, and over three hundred soldiers moved as one.

The inspection over, the Brigadier-General took the salute at the Field Street entrance on the march past, which was carried out to the strains of the bagpipes playing "The Cock of the North."

Platoon drill, platoons in attack, Lewis guns and machine gun sections in attack, stretcher-bearer classes, and signaling in the gallery were all carried out.

Following the inspection and manouevres, the guests were entertained in the officers' and sergeants' messes. Speaking in the officers' mess later in the evening, Brigadier-General Brown complimented Colonel D. B. Martyn and his officers for the showing made by the battalion, and expressed his appreciation of the work being done by this unit.

Family Jars Mobilizing Whole Army

(Associated Press)

MONTE CARLO, Monaco, Feb. 24.—The entire Monacan army of eighty strong was kept mobilized today, following the stir caused by the differences between Prince Pierre and his wife, Princess Charlotte, but no disturbances were reported.

The prince appears to be a favorite with the population. A mass meeting of voters instructed Mayor Eugene Marquet to convey to the prince their regret at his departure and "to express the real sentiments of the population in this crisis the dynasty is traversing."

Both the Prince and the Princess previously had filed suits for separation with the Monacan Council, the majority of which resigned rather than sit in the case.

Neither party intends to sue for divorce as each is Catholic, but have said they will seek annulment of the marriage once separation is ruled by the courts.

CABINET RESIGNS

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 24.—A dispatch to La Nacion from Santiago, Chile, tonight said that the Chilean Cabinet had resigned.

Appointment Made—On recommendation of the fire wardens the City Council last night appointed R. G. Winters on probation as superintendent of the fire alarm system, vice W. B. McMicking, the appointment to date from March 1.



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How Victoria had beaten all her previous records last year by sending $12,500 to the British Columbia headquarters; how the British Columbia Auxiliary had also beaten its record in raising money, and how the parent society in London, England, had beaten all existing records since the inception of the organization, were told by Mr. Nelson A. Harkness at the annual meeting of the Provincial Auxiliary to the British and Foreign Bible Society of Canada, which was held last night in the First United Church, under the chairmanship of Dean Quainton.

Last year, said Mr. Harkness, the society had distributed nearly 11,500,000 copies of the Bible throughout the world, while the British Columbia Auxiliary had sold 30,449 copies, printed in forty-five different languages.

Dean Quainton addressed the meeting in a few words, expressing the appreciation of the people of this city at the meeting being held in Victoria. Mr. T. Humphries presented the financial report and the election of officers took place. His Honor R. R. Bruce was elected honorary president; Dr. L. S. Klinck was elected president; Mr. Douglas Symington was elected secretary, and Mr. Harkness was reappointed district secretary.

LIFE MEMBERSHIPS

Rev. J. W. Ogden, D.D., handed a certificate of life membership in the society to Mr. Humphries, with the request that he would present it to Mr. Robert Griffin, who has recently entered his eighty-sixth year, and has been an interested member of the society for many years. Mr. Harkness then rose and made a similar presentation to Dr. Ogden, at the same time expressing the society's appreciation of the latter's interest and sympathy.

The principal address of the evening was given by Rev. W. H. Adcock, honorary secretary of the Bible Society in Regina.

Mr. Adcock took for his subject "The Bible in the Church," and traced the history of the translation of the book as it applied to the history of the British people. The Venerable Beade, he said, made the first real attempt at a translation in the year A.D. 735, and he went on to describe Beade's death which coincided with the translation of the last words of St. John's Gospel.

Alfred the Great, who was not a theologian, but was a saint as well as a monarch, interested himself in the translation of the Book into the vernacular of his day. In Magna Carta there were clauses which had particular reference to the freedom of the church, and the speaker was emphatic that this portion of history should be given greater prominence in the education of today.

The real beginning of church reform came in the reign of Edward III, when Wycliffe worked by candle light in the belfry of his church, in order to be free of his persecutors, when the English language was beautified by Chaucer, and, later on, when Caxton set up the first printing press.

The coming of an era of patriotism in the reign of Henry VIII, was the cause of the translations of Tyndale, Cloverdale, Matthew and Cranmer.

TEACH MORE, PREACH LESS

The date of the completion of the authorized version of the Bible was in the year 1611, and thus was made possible the wonderful work of the society which had its inception in a little room in London in the year 1804.

"We should teach more and preach less," said Mr. Adcock, "if we would make known the Word of God. It would be an excellent thing were we to have a teaching order revived in the church, in order that the gospels may be expounded to the people."

BEACON HILL PLANS

Plans for Beacon Hill Park are under consideration by the city parks committee, and in this connection Mr. A. S. Wootton, engineer of the Vancouver Parks Board, recently went over the ground with members of the committee.

Aldermen Alex. Peden and E. S. Woodward, Parks Superintendent T. R. Purdey and Mr. John Baxter, secretary of the International Parks Association of the Northwest, were summoned by Alderman Worthington to meet Mr. Wootton.

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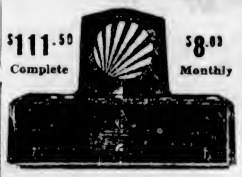
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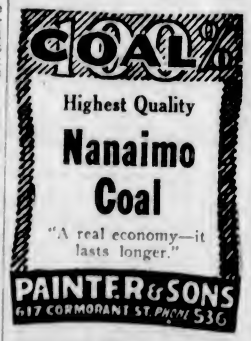
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Provincial Council of Women to Meet in City

Programme of Sessions Tomorrow Is Announced—Hon. R. L. Maitland Will Speak on "The Spirit of Canada"

The agenda was issued yesterday for the Provincial Council of Women of British Columbia, for a session to be held at 3:15 o'clock in the Y.W.C.A. rooms tomorrow afternoon.

In the evening Hon. R. L. Maitland will speak at 8:30 p'clock on "The Spirit of Canada."

3:15—Formal opening; Minutes; correspondence.

Reports from local councils upon action taken re (a) Women prisoners being sent to very distant penitentaries; (b) Methods of trapping fur-bearing animals; (c) Helping to re-establish (in honest employment) women or girls who have just completed prison terms.

Reports (upon the study of), (1) Bible reading in schools; (2) Compulsory medical examination of persons handling food for sale; (3) Milk supply being placed under the Department of Health; (4) Medical examination of high school pupils; (5) Segregation of boy prisoners under twenty-one years of age; (6) Protection by Provincial Government of the rights of the legitimate child, making maintenance and education the first charge against the estate; (7) Review of British Columbia laws re "Child Adoption"; (8) Uniformity in laws re divorce, marriage and wife desertion; (9) Efforts made "to make good citizens of new Canadians."

Resolutions: (1) Re right of married women to naturalize as "femme sole"; (2) Re incarceration of women prisoners in penitentaries situated nearest to where conviction took place.

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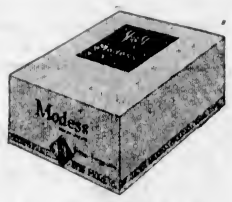
At Forest Inn

Guests registered at The Forest Inn, Shawnigan Lake, include: Mrs. C. P. Coverton, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Davies, Mrs. James Frankum, all of Vancouver; Mrs. Harris Emmons, Seattle; Major N. E. Taylor, Victoria. Amongst those entertaining at The Forest Inn, Shawnigan Lake, during the week-end were: Major and Mrs. Piddington and party, Mrs. Hindsley and party of four, Calgary; Captain and Mrs. C. F. L. Money, Miss Eileen Money, Miss G. Dalton, London; Mr. Hugh T. Barrett, Brazil; Mr. and Mrs. Van Houton and family, Mrs. W. Sloan and guests, Nanaimo; Commander Croolden and party, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bell-Irving and family, Vancouver; Miss Homer-Dixon and guests, and others.

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LADY DAVIS

Of Cannes, France, who has opened action in Montreal courts in an attempt to oust Lord Shaughnessy as trustee of the estate of the late Sir Mortimer Davis.

Clubs and Societies

Chemainus W.A.

In order to raise the talent money guaranteed by each member of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Church of St. Michael and All Angels, for the building of a parish hall, six ladies organized a most successful card party recently, four tables of bridge and thirteen tables of whist were in play. A novel method of allotting the prizes followed. Before play began certain numbers were selected and sealed up until the end of the evening, then, when the games were ended these numbers were compared with the scores of the players and the prizes awarded to those whose scores were nearest to the numbers chosen, the following being the winners: Bridge, ladies' first, Mrs. J. D. Long; second, Mrs. F. Elliott; consolation, Mrs. C. McInnes. Gentlemen, first, Mr. A. V. Porter; second, Mrs. J. C. Adams; consolation, Mrs. T. McEwan, these two ladies playing as gentlemen. Whist, ladies' first, Mrs. N. F. Lang; second, Mrs. W. Wyllie; consolation, Miss Pearl Richards; gentlemen, first, Mrs. O. E. Beachamn, playing as a gentleman; second, Mr. J. E. Marshall; consolation, Mr. P. G. Peerless. Refreshments were served, and during supper Mr. H. Dobinson gave an outline of the building programme, both for the proposed parish hall and the new vicarage. The proceeds of the evening amounted to $42.46, leaving a balance of $36, clear. The ladies responsible for the event were Mesdames T. H. Toynbee, N. F. Lang, J. H. Inglis, J. P. Chatters, V. G. Pritchard, E. G. Moore and W. Rice.

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Chemainus W.B.A.

The usual monthly women's and social meeting of the Chemainus Review No. 19, Women's Benefit Association, was held in the Knights of Phythias' Hall, seventeen members being present, with the president, Mrs. Gladys Cook, in the chair. One new member was initiated and six juniors were nominated for membership. It was decided to hold the monthly whist drive on the evening of February 27. Mrs. E. R. Halberg was appointed junior supervisor. Miss Yates, of the Cowichan Health Centre, addressed the meeting on the subject of classes of instruction for young mothers. It was suggested that the W.B.A. sponsor the movement and invite all other organizations likely to be interested, to be present at the first meeting which will be held on March 3 in the K. of P. Hall. At the close of the business meeting an original programme was presented by members of the Order, the entertainment taking the form of a raido programme, with Mrs. J. McKay acting as announcer for the following items: Recitation, Mrs. Cherrington; vocal solo, Mrs. Cave; recitations by Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Nicholson and Mrs. English; chromonica selections, Mrs. G. Neale; two vocal solos in Hawaiian costume, Mrs. T. W. Eberts. Mrs. E. R. Halberg was a recent tea hostess, the guest of honor being Mrs. Caroline O'Brien, of Vancouver, and all officers of Chemainus Review being present.

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Bridge Tea

On Saturday afternoon an enjoyable bridge tea was held in the reading-room of the Chemainus Recreation Club, in aid of First Chemainus Company, Girl Guides, Mrs. J. A. Humbird and Mrs. H. W. Evans kindly acting as hostesses. Six tables were in play, the prize winners being: First, Mrs. Gilroy; second, Mrs. R. Clute; consolation, Mrs. Jacobsen. Refreshments were served, the following members of the Guide company acting as waitresses: Miss E. Fraser, Guide lieutenant, and Patrol Leaders Coralie Fraser, Mabel Cook and Dorothy Fraser. Mrs. R. B. Waldon was in charge of the general arrangements. Mrs. W. J. Porter and Mrs. J. Cook were tea conveners. A number of ladies came in later for tea, so that with donations received the proceeds amounted to $19.50. Among those present were Mesdames J. A. Humbird, H. W. Evans, R. B. Waldon, J. D. Long, N. F. Lang, C. D. Leeson, J. Taylor, H. A. Gilroy, W. J. Porter, J. Cook, A. H. Work, D. Ross, H. E. Donald, C. W. Dunne, C. R. Jarrett, H. L. Booth, G. Jacobson, F. Clarke, R. R. Gill, W. E. Johnson and R. A. English.

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Luxton R.E. Ladies' Aid

The Ladies' Aid of the Reformed Episcopal Church, Luxton, held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. McLeod on Thursday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. Hutchison, in the chair. As well as the members present, there was one visitor, Mrs. L. Fields, of Metchosin. After discussing the Sunday school entertainment and prize giving, which will be held in March, it was decided to have Mesdames Field and McLeod buy the necessary prizes. It was also decided to make a payment of $10 on the furnace, this to be taken from the Sunday school fund, and a donation of $5 is to be made to the Shantymen's Mission.

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Native Daughters

The Native Daughters of British Columbia, Post No. 3, will hold another of its popular bridge parties on Tuesday, March 4. The Amphion Hall has been chosen for the affair and the conveners are Mrs. C. B. McDonnell and Miss Anna Mason. Many friends of the society have already signified their intention of attending and other tables may be reserved by telephoning Mrs. S. J. Stapledon, 5858. An important meeting of the post will be held tomorrow instead of today at the K. of C. Hall, Government Street. The initiation of new members will take place, followed by a social time to celebrate the eighth birthday of the Victoria Post.

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Entertains Members

Mrs. Daniels, 36 Government Street, entertained the ladies of the Home Department of Emmanuel Church on Thursday afternoon. Those present included Mesdames Beveridge, Ferguson, Wescott, McNell, W. Wilson, G. Green, Anstey, Hammond, Jaffray, Cogswell and Pinkerton, and Misses M. and A. Sproule, M. Mason and Madson. Solos were sung by Mrs. Anstey and Mrs. Daniels; piano solos played by Miss M. Mason and Mrs. Green; a reading given by Mrs. Cogswell, and Mrs. McNeil, Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Pinkerton assisted in serving tea.

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C.G.I.T. Council

The C.G.I.T. Council met on Saturday evening for supper at the Y.W.C.A. A sing-song was held after supper, followed by the interesting talk by a friend of the C.G.I.T. on "Vocations for Girls When I Was a Girl." The meeting was then divided into groups to discuss vocations. This was followed by the business period. The meeting was brought to a close with the devotional period, taken by Peggy Gelling, the theme being "Jesus, the Teacher." The meeting adjourned after the singing of "Taps."

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Courtenay L.A.

In recognition of her services with the Ladies' Aid of the United Church, both as member and president, Mrs. W. J. Carroll was presented with a silver tea service by the ladies of the Aid. The presentation was made by Mrs. Brown, and Mrs. Alexander read an address eulogizing Mrs. Carroll's work on behalf of the Ladies' Aid for the past ten years. The Young People's Society of the church assisted in this function.

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Nurses' Meeting

The monthly meeting of the private duty section of the Graduate Nurses' Association will be held at 8 o'clock this evening at the Y.W.C.A. The business meeting will be followed by a bridge party and all members and their friends are invited.

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Britannia Branch W.A.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion B.E.S.L., will hold a dance on Thursday evening, March 6, in the K. of C. Hall from 8 till 11:30 o'clock. Tickets are obtainable from members of the auxiliary and from the Britannia Branch, Broad Street.

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Princess Patricia Lodge

The Princess Patricia Lodge, No. 238, Order of the Daughters of St. George, met on Friday evening at Harmony Hall. Cards were played, the prize winners being Miss Cooper, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Spavin and Mrs. Holding.

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Receives Donations

The Children's Aid Society is grateful for the following donations: Cake and sandwiches, Arcadians' Club, Oaklands Gospel Hall, First United Church, Sons of Canada, Queen City Chapter, O.E.S., C.B. Club, Dr. Ridges' Food, Birch Jones Co., Alpine Club, Mrs. McCaw, Mrs. Oddy, Rennie & Taylor; clothing, Mrs. Jones, Miss Herd, Mrs. Head, Mrs. Crofton, Mrs. M. C. Bunting, Mr. E. Bates, Mrs. Pinmore, Mrs. J. Baxter; gramophone and games, Mrs. H. Harris and Mrs. Christopher.

Weddings

REEVES—POLKEY

NANAIMO, Feb. 24.—The wedding was solemnized at the Haliburton Street United Church, when the Rev. Mr. Welch united in the holy bonds of matrimony Mr. Robert Reeves, of Northfield, to Miss Dorothy Polkey, who arrived here two weeks ago from Nottingham, England. The bride was attended by Mrs. S. A. Mountney, while Mr. George William Reeves supported the groom. The ceremony was solemnized in the presence of immediate friends. Mr. and Mrs. Reeves will, after their honeymoon, take up their residence at Northfield.

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Sessional Ball to Be Held At Empress

It is now announced that all arrangements have been completed for one of the most outstanding social events of the Victoria season, that of the sessional ball, held by the Victoria Conservative Association on March 7. The function will commence at 9 o'clock in the Empress Hotel. Preceding the ball, a dinner will be held by the association, in honor of the Conservative members. To this the members of the Government and the executive members of the Conservative Association are invited. Following the dinner, which is set for 7 o'clock, will be the ball, to which the general public is invited. Liberal members of the Government are also being invited to attend the latter function.

The following ladies, have consented to act as patronesses: Mrs. S. F. Tolmie, wife of Premier Tolmie; Mrs. R. W. Bruhn, Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. W. A. McKenzie, Mrs. R. L. Maitland, Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Mrs. F. P. Burden, Mrs. S. L. Howe, Mrs. J. Hinchliffe and Miss Ethel Lougheed.

Mother and Daughter Banquet Is Held

The tenth anniversary of Canadian Girls in Training in British Columbia was celebrated on Friday evening at the annual banquet held by mothers and daughters of the C.G.I.T. of the Oak Bay United Church. This department of the church has increased considerably during recent years and there are now three groups, in charge of Miss M. Brynjolfson, Miss Jean Smith and Miss C. Donaldson, under the supervision of Mrs. Guy, and all leaders are graduates of the C.G.I.T. movement. Dinner was served by the Women's Association, and the following programme was enjoyed, Miss Gertrude Durkin acting as toastmaster: "O Canada;" C.G.I.T. grace; supper; sing-song; toast, "The King," Miss Gertrude Durkin; toast, "To Our Mothers," Miss Babe Pennock, responded to by Mrs. Checkley; C.S.E.T. Boys, Miss Vivian Pennock and Mr. Jack Maloney; story of the origin of C.G.I.T., Miss Ruth Moore; piano solo, Miss Meiva White; history of C.G.I.T. in British Columbia, Miss Wilena Graham; recitation, Miss Pauline Havard; "C.G.I.T. as We Knew It," Miss Adam and Miss German. The toast to the graduates of C.G.I.T. was proposed by Mrs. Guy, and responded to by Miss Beth Birkeland.

Miss MacFarlane, of the Victoria High School staff, gave an address on "The Girl of Yesterday, of Today and of Tomorrow."

Following the address Miss Evelyn Bland expressed to the speaker the sincere appreciation of all present and presented Miss MacFarlane with a bouquet of pink tulips and freesias.

The observance of the candlelighting ceremony and "Taps" concluded one of the most successful gatherings in the annals of the Oak Bay C.G.I.T. group.

ENTERTAIN TEAMS

The ladies' basketball team of the J.B.A.A. entertained the members of the Fidelis and Colonist teams at supper and a dance last evening at the clubhouse, the Gorge. The following acted as hosts: Miss M. Banyard, Miss M. Ross, Miss G. Carmichael, Mr. A. McVane, Mr. Gordon Loat and Mr. Dave Mellor.

Liberal Woman to Represent West



MRS. MACCALLUM SUTHERLAND

Prominent woman Liberal speaker from Western Canada, who is to be guest speaker at numerous meetings in Ontario to be held under the auspices of the Ontario Women's Liberal Association.

L'Alliance Francaise Party Aids Fund

The annual bridge party for the bursary fund was held by L'Alliance Francaise on Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schramli, Esquimalt Road, and was most enjoyable and well attended. Madame Preiswerck was convener of the refreshments. For non-bridge players, Mrs. H. Archibald and Mrs. F. H. Allwood conducted a number of games which caused much amusement, and for which, as well as for bridge, a number of prizes had been presented by Mrs. A. F. Stevens, Mrs. Booth, Mrs. Archibald, Mrs. Rutherford, Mrs. Allwood, Mrs. Hamilton-Smith and Miss McGeorge. The flowers adorning the rooms, which were much admired, were the gift of Mrs. Brown, View Street. The members of L'Alliance appreciated greatly the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Schramli, to whom the success of the evening was due, and as a result of which the bursary fund will benefit considerably. At 4 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon L'Alliance will meet as usual at 1507 Laurel Lane.

Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

LUXTON AND HAPPY VALLEY

The Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute had a very enjoyable card party on Saturday night at the home of Mrs. Hobbs, Luxton. Court whist was the game played, and the prize winners were: First, Miss Savory and Mr. C. Parker; low, Mrs. R. Brown and Mrs. J. Little, playing gentleman. Mrs. Caton assisted Mrs. Hobbs in serving refreshments.

"Is your wife shy about telling her age?"

"Very—about ten years shy."

Improved Stockings

Durable, Though Sheer, the New Stockings Have Many Novel Features—Laces and "Clocks" Receive Attention

Although every year silk stockings are becoming softer, finer, and more flexible, they are gaining in durability, says an article in The Times (London). In the past fine-gauge stockings would run into ladders if the wearer engaged in any active pursuit; but nowadays it is most unusual to see a blemish in a dancer's stocking either in a ballroom or on the stage. Manufacturers have learned to produce hosiery that is strong as well as "sheer," for they know that high prices for stockings which have soon to be discarded, or repaired at about half the cost of a new pair, cause resentment.

DURABILITY DEVICES

Various devices have been employed to prolong the life of stockings, in material and weaving, as well as in simple methods such as the widening of suspender-tops; a drop-stitch ring above the knee; making them full-fashioned; far longer in the leg; and reinforcing feet and heels with heavier thread. These double heels are now made to add character to the stocking. The old square heel, which looked ugly and accidental, was fortunately long ago superseded by the decorative pointed heel, which, in its turn, is now giving place to the French heel. In America double-pointed heels, or twin-heels, are in demand.

FREAK HOSIERY

Clocks are again fashionable, but are now wider and higher—from one to two inches farther up the ankle. Some have been seen in Paris running downwards from the knee to the middle of the calf, but these are generally unusual. Paris is producing various examples of freak hosiery with perhaps an anklet of colored embroidery, or openwork dropstitch, on one stocking only; black butterflies woven in the centre back of transparent stockings at the base of the calf; hand-painted flower-garlands running from the outside to the inside anklebone, leaving the front space unadorned; a pink carnation painted on the instep of flesh-tinted stockings with feathery green foliage running up and down; a delicate panel of forget-me-nots ornamenting the front of beige stockings; or hanging fringes of wisteria in natural colors curving high over the backs of the calves of grey stockings.

OPENWORK STOCKINGS

Openwork stockings have been revived, and those of sheer black silk with gossamer lace inset are perhaps the most effective. Some are made with front panels from the instep to just below the knee; others are completely of lace. There are also stockings or dark grey (platinum) or pale beige chiffon silk, with fine cobweb openwork embroidery; but the plain varieties of sheer silk with only high openwork clocks at the sides will certainly be more popular in England, made in the pale peach and apricot-pink tints which have displaced the suntan shades of last year.

Phantom tones, of yellow tinge, are to be worn with egg-shell and French-flesh colored frocks; and always the hosiery must match the shoes and the gown.

Kitty McKay

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Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Heyer entertained at their home, Brentwood Bay, to a jolly party in honor of their youngest daughter, Ida, on her twenty-first birthday, Saturday evening. A jolly time was spent in games and contests. Misses Madeleine and Shirley Sluggett being the winners of the song contest, Miss M. Sluggett and Mr. A. Shiner winning the games contest. A dainty lunch was served later in the evening, the birthday cake being lit up with pink candles. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Heyer, Mrs. J. D. Eidt (Melfort, Sask.), Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Finlay, Misses Myrtle Snider, Bertha Snider, Madeleine Sluggett, Shirley Sluggett, Margaret Michell, Marjorie Young (Sask.), Sadie Patterson, Ida Heyer, Alma Heyer, Vera Eidt (Sask.), and Messrs. Alfred Shiner, Philip Crampton, Fred Saywer, William Slugget, Albert Hafer and Roy Heyer.

Christening Party

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ker was christened on Sunday afternoon at St. John's Church, Rev. Canon Chadwick officiating. The child received the names Valerie June, and the godparents were Mrs. Herbert Wilson, Mrs. C. E. Thomas, of Vancouver, for whom Mrs. R. H. B. Ker was proxy, and Mr. W. J. Spencer. Following the service a large number of guests assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ker, Rockland Avenue, for tea. Those invited were: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Spencer, Mrs. Howard Miller, Mrs. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Winslow, Miss Tina Mowbray, Mrs. Edward Pooley, Brigadier and Mrs. Sutherland Brown, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bolton, Dr. and Mrs. Allan Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Todd, Mr. W. J. Bowser, Mrs. Mitchell, Miss Gladys Irving, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. B. Ker, Mrs. Ker, Mrs. Heisterman, Miss Ollie Heisterman, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Heisterman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heisterman, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brett, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Boyd, Miss Boyd (Toronto), Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Burdick, Mr. and Mrs. John Gait, Sir Frank and Lady Barnard, Senator and Mrs. G. H. Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Benning, Commander and Mrs. J.W. Murray, Captain and Mrs. W. C. Thackeray, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McGiverin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Paterson, Mr. Ian Simpson, Mr. H. F. Mathews (Winnipeg), Miss Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Lawson, Mrs. W. R. Seatle, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Goward, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilson, Mr. W. B. Lanigan, General and Mrs. Noel Money, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Castle, Major Gus Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Monteith, Mrs. E. G. Prior, Mrs. Archer Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Carew Martin, Mrs. W. C. Nichol, Mrs. Cowan (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Gore, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Raymur, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McLoughlin, Mr. L. Ogilvie, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Dugald Gillespie, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Selden Humphreys, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hammond, Mrs. Innes, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crane, Mrs. Marsden, Dr. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Robertson, Mrs. C. C. Cator, Mr. and Mrs. Thornley Hall, Mrs. Norman Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Campbell, Mrs. Norman Yarrow, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Herchmer, Dr. George Hall, Mr. Victor Sutherland, Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Ridewood, Mr. and Mrs. R. Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams, Canon and Mrs. F. A. P. Chadwick, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bates, Mr. Dunbar, Mrs. Gordon (Winnipeg), Mrs. Anderson (Winnipeg), Mrs. M. G. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Carmichael, Captain and Mrs. W. G. Colquhoun, Judge and Mrs. F. B. Gregory and others.

Surprise Party

A very enjoyable surprise party was held on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith, Catherine Street, in honor of their daughter, Jean, when a number of her friends paid her a surprise visit, the occasion being her birthday. The evening was spent in games and dancing. Among those present were: Misses Edna and Elsie Robinson, Irene Stewart, Beth Dobbie, I. Watters, F. Hodson, Mae Smith, H. Monk, C. McAllister, J. Hansen, Jean and Renee Smith and Messrs. Cliff Rutledge, Archie Smith, Vic Simmons, Hugh MacKenzie, Stan Orrick, Jack Newman, Dick Muirhead, Arnold Ashworth, Cliff Merriman, Sam Smith, Eb. Munroe, Roy Watters, H. Buxton and others.

Dramalogue at Empress

Frederick Lonsdale's comedy, "Canaries Sometimes Sing," was read yesterday afternoon before a large audience in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel, when those taking part were Mrs. F. G. Aldous, Mrs. Storey Waller, Major Bullock-Webster and Mr. H. E. Pott. Mrs. Alan Swinton was the diseuse.

Leave for South

The Misses Jean and Agnes Hallinan, who have been spending the past two months holidaying with their parents at Merritt, B.C., left on the Emma Alexander on Sunday for San Francisco. While in Victoria they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor, Regina Avenue.

Visitors in London

Among the latest visitors who have registered their names at the office of the Agent-General for British Columbia are Mr. Norman Yarrow, of Victoria; Miss Kathleen W. Ellis, of Vancouver; Mr. E. L. Taylor, of Creston; and Mr. Philip B. Freeland, of Grand Forks.

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. H. MacKenzie, 1051 Oliver Street, announce the engagement of their second daughter, Jean Castle, to Mr. David Johnston, youngest son of Mrs. Johnston, of Vancouver. The wedding will take place at the Centennial United Church on March 19.

On Inspection Trip

Mr. A. C. Rome, inspector of the Imperial Bank of Canada, with headquarters at Toronto, has arrived in Victoria on his annual inspection tour, accompanied by Mr. H. Riley.

Return to Seattle

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mackintosh have returned to Seattle after spending a holiday with their parents in Victoria.

At Brentwood

Mrs. J. D. Eidt and daughter, Vera, of Melfort, Saskatchewan, spent a week visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Heyer, Brentwood Bay.

Luncheon Party

Mrs. L. C. Boyd entertained at luncheon yesterday in honor of Mrs. Howard Miller, who will leave shortly to make her home in California.

Back From Honeymoon

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Greville Jones (nee Spencer) have returned from Mount Rainier, where they have been spending their honeymoon.

At Empress Hotel

Major F. J. Ney, of Winnipeg, arrived in the city on Sunday and is staying at the Empress Hotel.

Premier's Son at Hollywood



HERE is an interesting photograph showing Mr. Alastair MacDonald, son of Premier Ramsay MacDonald of Great Britain, and Miss Mary Pickford, on the occasion of the former's visit to the United Artists Studios at Hollywood recently, when he saw talking films in the making.—Photograph by the Feature Productions Inc., United Artists Studio, Hollywood, Cal.

Island Social Notes

Nanaimo

Mr. and Mrs. Tree, of Vancouver, are spending their honeymoon in Nanaimo, and after a short visit at the Malaspina Hotel, they will drive down to Victoria and spend a few days there with friends, before making their home at Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bennett, Kennedy Street, have motored up to Cumberland to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Neilson, Kennedy Street, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. Gear, Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Hildenbrandt, of Seattle, are the guests of Mrs. Hildenbrandt's father, Mr. W. Carmichael, Wentworth Street.

Miss Beryl Parks has left for New Hazelton, where she will visit for a time. Her mother accompanied her as far as Vancouver.

Mr. Billy Townsend and sister have arrived from Vancouver, and are spending a few days in the city.

Mayne Island

The lady parishioners of the Church of St. Mary Magdalene assembled at the residence of Major and Mrs. West on Tuesday afternoon, where a delightful tea was given in honor of Miss Rothotham, who has been the organist for many years. The ladies present were dressed to represent a book, and there were many difficult titles to solve. Mrs. Gurney was declared the winner in solving most. During the meeting Lady Constance Pawkes, on behalf of the parishioners, presented to Miss Rothotham a well-filled purse, and in a short speech expressed the great appreciation of the assembly to her for her splendid service as organist and hoped that she would long be able to undertake the work.

Mrs. Rawlings has left for Daisy Lake, B.C., and probably will be away some time.

Mr. A. E. Shaw was here during the early part of the week. He is having considerable improvements made to his residence.

Mrs. George Maude has been the guest of Mrs. H. Spalding, of South Pender, for a few days and will return on Saturday.

Metchosin

Mr. and Mrs. Leese, who have been staying in Victoria during the cold weather, have returned to their home at William Head.

Mrs. H. C. Helgesen, "Sherwood," entertained with bridge on Saturday evening.

Colwood

Mr. E. J. Myers has returned to his home after being a patient in the Royal Jubilee Hospital, suffering from injuries received in a motor car accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore, of Alberni, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Bristow during the week.

Mrs. J. L. Hilborn, who has been a patient in the Royal Jubilee Hospital, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. H. W. McGill, of Calgary, paid a short visit to Mrs. W. M. Brown last week.

A card party under the auspices of St. John's W.A. will be held in the Colwood Hall on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Bridge and five hundred will be played. Dancing will conclude the evening's entertainment. The proceeds will be given to W.A. and church funds.

Courtenay

Sixty-nine tables were required to accommodate the card players at the Anglican whist drive on Friday night in the Native Sons Hall, Courtenay. The winning players were: Ladies' first, Mrs. John Thomson; second, Mrs. Blumenauer; third, Mr. William Shilcock (substituting), Mrs. J. A. Nelson, consolation; men, first, Mr. Jack Gregson; second, Mrs. James Wilcock; third, Mr. D. M. Isenor. Miss Edna Finch secured the consolation. Hidden table prizes went to Mr. William Hayman and Mrs. Walker. William Stewart, Jr., won the special prize of a ton of coal. Refreshments under the supervision of a committee composed of Mrs. W. R. Cooke and Mrs. Heber Cooke, were much enjoyed, and dancing followed.

The badminton clubs' dance held recently was a very enjoyable affair. There were about two hundred present. The Country Club orchestra and the catering of Mrs. Sutherland and Mrs. McPhee added to the pretty decorations of a committee assisted by Mrs. Hargood Ash all added to the evening's enjoyment.

Chemainus

The last of a series of dances given by the Chemainus Dancing Club was held on Friday in the old hall, a thoroughly enjoyable evening being spent by those present. Supper hostess for the evening were Mesdames C. R. Jarret, W. Allester, J. C. Adam, E. T. Koch, C. D. B. Ross and H. L. Booth.

The death of Mr. J. Pask occurred very suddenly on Saturday evening, after only a few hours' illness. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock, interment being made in the Chemainus Cemetery. Funeral arrangements are in the hands of Mr. L. C. Brockway.

Mrs. A. Howe and Mr. A. C. Howe visited Victoria on Sunday.

Mrs. P. W. Anketell-Jones is spending a few days in Duncan, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Mainguy.

Miss Edna Pearmain was a week-end visitor to Victoria.

Mr. W. Dryer is spending a few days with friends in Vancouver.

Mr. A. C. Smith visited Victoria recently.

Port Alberni

Miss Christina Sutherland, of this city, was a week-end visitor in Cumberland.

Misses Betty and Freda Hilton were charming hostesses at their home, Third Avenue, when they entertained at the tea hour Saturday afternoon. The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Campbell, Miss Helen Dobie, Dr. A. R. Wilson, Mr. Russell Turner and Mr. Fred Patton.

Miss Violet Guy has returned, after spending the week-end visiting in Victoria.

A successful whist drive and dance was held in the Eagles Hall last Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Elks Club. There were seventeen tables in play. Mrs. J. Humphries and Mrs. S. W. Walters were winners of the ladies' prizes, while Mrs. M. M. Stephens and Mrs. J. H. Warren captured the gentlemen's prizes.

Mr. H. G. Kingscombe, of Vancouver, has been spending a short time in Port Alberni, and is a guest at the Somass Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Allan, of Vancouver, are among the out-of-town guests registered at the Somass Hotel.

Mrs. Dawson Turner will entertain at bridge at her home here. The guests invited are Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Weaver, Captain and Mrs. McLean Fry, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Swayne, Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Hilton, Mr. and Mrs. John McMillan, Dr. and Mrs. Carlyle Cook, Mrs. Ewing and Dr. A. R. Wilson.

Among those visiting the city over the week-end with the Cumberland girls' basketball team were Josephine Welsh, Margaret Richardson, Jessie Baird, Edna Gear, Claudia Harrison and Isabella Jane Herd.

An enjoyable dance was held in the dining-room of the Beaufort Hotel on Saturday evening, in honor of "Billie" Townsend, who has returned home after a trip to California.

Jordan River

Mr. C. Richards spent a few days in Victoria last week.

Mr. J. Elliott and Mr. H. G. Rough motored into Victoria on Friday last. They were accompanied on their return by Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Elliott, of Cordova Bay, who are staying in Jordan River for a short time.

Mrs. R. G. Gordon and Gordon Lyall were visiting their home here at the week-end. Bruce Blay, of Transit Road, Oak Bay, was also the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Sager were visiting in Victoria during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Callaghan and family spent a short time in Victoria last Saturday.

Mrs. H. G. Rough and Beverly and Peter have returned to Jordan River, after a few days' holiday spent with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Stubbs, of Saanich.

Mr. Jack Walker was visiting his parents here at the week-end.

Miss Grace Hoffman spent the week-end in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. E. McLean motored into Victoria last Thursday.

Saanichton

About thirty tables were engaged in play at the second annual military five hundred party held in the Agricultural Hall, under the auspices of the Sidney Conservative Association. Mrs. C. Peck presented the prizes, also the many tombolas, the chief of which, a twelve months' subscription to The Colonist, was won by Mrs. Ling, of Deep Cove. The cards were followed by dancing. During the evening Mr. Harvey thanked all those present for their patronage, and also those who donated prizes, or in any way helped to make the affair a success. The prizes were won by the following: First, Mr. E. Bourgeolus, Mr. C. Goselin, Mr. F. Michell, Mr. R. Crawford; second, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lacousiere and Mr. and Mrs. S. Fox; third, Mrs. Horne, Mr. H. Bates, Mr. Earle, and Mr. Richer.

Question—Why do men never kiss each other, whereas women waste a world of kisses on other feminine faces?

Answer—Because men have something better to kiss, and women haven't.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont



The bolero is putting one over on many of the new Spring costumes, and it is slight wonder that the one-time favorite cardigan is getting envious. Here it is a knit sport dress of plain dark red jersey that takes the jacket.

And there are more that a few fashion yarns being spun just now about lace-woven jersey, which is used adroitly by this model for the bolero and decorative insets on the sleeveless jumper. The skirt is content with plain jersey, but takes a deep interest in godets that give it a modern flare.

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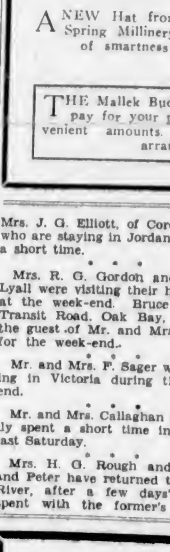
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WOULD COLLECT FEUDAL FEES IN SCOTLAND

Duchess of Norfolk Arouses Indignation by Making Levy on Her "Vassals" in Maxwelltown

ANTIQUATED IMPOST BITTERLY RESENTED

By J. H. McCULLOCH
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An attempt to revive feudalism has been made in Scotland, and the fact that it is a serious matter of law for those who are called upon to pay the feudal superior serves to remind British people that their feet can still be entangled in the coils of ancient and undemocratic laws, in spite of the legislative progress that has been made in Great Britain during the past century.

In the case now before the public notice in Great Britain, the Duchess of Norfolk, who is reputed to be the wealthiest woman in Great Britain, is endeavoring to collect feudal fees on her Scottish estates, and the amount is said to reach a total approximating $100,000.

Those who are called upon to pay these feudal fees are designated by the noble lady as her "vassals" and a large number of them are centred in the town of Maxwelltown.

There is more in that fact than meets the eye, because this ancient burgh, which recently amalgamated with the adjoining city of Dumfries, is populated with as hard-headed and as independent a class of Scots as will be found North of the Tweed. They spring from the stock that took to the heather rather than submit to Graham of Claverhouse and his religious persecutors; their county of Kirkcudbrightshire has the proud distinction of sending a higher percentage of men to the Great War than any other part of the world.

NOT KIND TO SUBMIT EASILY

These people, it is said, are not the kind to submit tamely to an antiquated feudal tax imposed at the behest of a duchess who lives in England.

Moreover, the name of the noble lady is not one to bring the people of Scotland to their feet cheering. Her grace is a daughter of Lord Herries, whose Scottish estate at Kinharvie, hard by Maxwelltown, was wont to see the old Duke of Norfolk during the shooting season. After the union of these two houses by this marriage, the new duchess took up her abode in England and neither she nor the Scottish branch of her family have ever attained popularity north of the Tweed.

The duchess has never shown interest in the little town upon whose citizens she is now levying her antiquated impost, and its development owes nothing to her, so that her levy has aroused indignation that has already been reflected in the British House of Commons.

NEW ZEALAND WILL BUY EMPIRE GOODS

Business Interests Organizing Campaign for Their Purchase

(Canadian Press)

DUNEDIN, N.Z., Feb. 24.—New Zealand business interests are organizing a campaign for the purchase of more Empire goods.

Speaking at the annual meeting of the Dunedin Stock Exchange, the president, E. R. Smith, declared that the amount of money leaving the Dominion for the purchase of automobiles, manufactured principally in the United States, was deplorable. This amount totaled $15,000,000 last year. He also urged the Government to look into the question of United States motion picture importations.

In the opinion of Mr. Smith and other speakers at the meeting, a greater proportion of New Zealand's imports should be from Great Britain and the British Dominions, where it was obvious that goods of equal if not better quality could be obtained.

A main feature of the stock market in New Zealand last year was the large amount of money leaving New Zealand for investment, mainly in Australia. This was due to the higher rate of interest obtainable there, but it was urged that more capital should be retained in New Zealand for the development of the Dominion's own industries.

Much progress had been made in gold mining in New Zealand during the past year, and many companies in Otago should reach the dividend-paying stage at an early date.

A Champion "Cream Tart"



Thia Champion of the Feline World, "Parkside Cream Tart," a Cream Chinchilla, Was Awarded the Championship at the Grand Championship Cat Show at Kentish Town Baths, London, Recently.

World-Famous Stories

A GRAND SLAM

By Leonid Andreyev

(Leonid Andreyev, 1871-1919, was a famous Russian writer of stories. His work is usually characterized by a gloomy and morose atmosphere.)

To understand this story you must grant that it is possible for four people to become so obsessed by their interest in cards that they can think and talk about nothing else. Though scraps of other subjects may creep in, they are soon pushed aside and forgotten, for the one interest is cards and the game and how to win or how to accept a loss.

These four—three men and one woman, and the woman, at 43, was the youngest of them all—were victims of the game they played. They gathered three times a week, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, for their session at the table. They played for small sums of no consequence, but they attached great importance to them because they were won or lost at cards.

The woman and her brother made one pair of partners, because she could see no fun in playing against her brother. That would mean that her losses would merely offset his winnings, or vice versa. She preferred to keep the lossess or the winnings entirely within the family. So she played with her brother and was quite satisfied.

The other pair of partners were Nicholas and Jacob. They were not as well satisfied at first, though in several years of this playing they became used to it, because Nicholas always wanted to play boldly and Jacob would never bid over four. Nicholas objected to the conservatism of his partner on the grounds that it never gave him a chance to play a grand slam in no trumps; but Jacob stuck by his rule, and pointed it out to Nicholas as a handy rule, whenever Nicholas, which was often, was so unlucky as to lose a high bid.

"Why don't you declare a grand slam?" Nicholas would demand of his partner.

"I never play higher than four," Jacob would say dryly, adding the explanation: "you never can tell what may happen."

So it went, week in and week out. Nicholas always arrived promptly at 8 o'clock, and if by any chance some topic of conversation had been started, one or other of the four would quickly say: "Isn't it time to begin the game?" Then all would sit down, and hands would be dealt, and it would go on until they quit.

They did not even inquire as to each other's health, or where each other lived, these four card fanatics. They could talk only about cards—they remembered only the hands they had played — they dreamed only of the hands they might draw in some future and luckier deal.

So when one night Nicholas did not appear they were all surprised and unable to account for it. Later they found out that his eldest son had got into some trouble, and this had kept him away. They had not known before that he even had a son!

Again, one Saturday night Nicholas did not show up. The thing that mattered to most of them was that it was Saturday, the night on which they always played the longest. They learned that it was because of a bad attack of heart trouble, with which, unbeknown to the other three, Nicholas had suffered for years. Probably they forgot this soon after, for the games went on as before, and cards was their one topic.

Meanwhile Nicholas, in spite of the persistence of his partner, thought how fine it would be to play a grand slam—to take all of the thirteen tricks with a no trump hand. He thought about it when he was alone with his thoughts; indeed, he even dreamed it. It became the ambition for which he lived. Hand after hand, night after night, he watched for a grouping of cards which would enable him to realize this ambition.

A night came when Nicholas had an unprecedented run of luck. The cards for a change seemed to be coming his way. Jacob continued to abide by his rule of never bidding over four, but Nicholas ran on boldly and daringly—and he frequently won. His face became flushed with excitement, he was sure that the time was nigh for his great triumph.

Then, after the solemn brother of the woman had dealt the cards, Nicholas uncovered his cards. He had taken to waiting until the last moment before he looked at his cards. Fanatics at cards always become superstitious about them. They stick by these beliefs in the face of constant contradiction, and one chance confirmation means everything to them.

The weak heart of Nicholas gave a great bound; and then sank almost as quickly. He saw darkness in front of his eyes; he swayed in his chair. For he held in his hand no less than twelve tricks—the ace, king, queen, jack and ten of both hearts and clubs, the ace and king of diamonds—and an odd card. All he needed was the ace of spades. If he could draw the ace of spades from the pack he would have a grand slam in no trumps!

He began his bid with "two in no trumps," finding it hard to control his voice.

"Three in spades," said the woman. She was also quite excited, for she held nearly all the spades, from the king down.

"Four in hearts," said Jacob, abiding by his rule to the last.

The brother declared a small slam, but the sister, still excited would not give way. She knew it was hopeless but she declared a grand slam in spades.

Nicholas hesitated. Then rather triumphantly, concealing his doubt of the possibility of realizing it, he said slowly and distinctly: "A grand slam in no trumps!"

All were dumfounded. Nicholas to play a grand slam in no trumps? It was impossible. But Nicholas stretched out his hand for the pack, to draw his one card—the card on which everything depended. It had to be the ace of spades. He swayed and upset a candle. For a moment he sat straight up laying his cards on the table, and then fell over slowly, upsetting a small stand on which stood a cup of tea.

The doctor soon arrived and announced that Nicholas had died from a sudden attack of the heart. He explained that heart failure was quite painless. The body was put on a divan and covered with a sheet.

Jacob was quite affected. Finally he went over and looked at Nicholas's cards, as they lay on the table. He saw the twelve tricks. Then he looked at the card Nicholas would have drawn, had he lived a moment longer—it was the ace of spades. Poor Nicholas had a grand slam in no trumps at last; he could have won it in another moment, another second or two. Now he would never know. By seconds only Nicholas had failed in realizing his life's one ambition.

Tears forced themselves into Jacob's eyes. He was appalled at the thought that the word Never had a relentless and bitter meaning. Nicholas would never know. Then the woman came over to him, and he saw a question in her eyes. He was sure it was the same as that on his lips.

"Where shall we get a fourth player now?" he asked helplessly.

Officers Chosen For Nanaimo Hospital Board

NANAIMO, Feb. 24.—Mr. George S. Pearson was elected president of the board of directors of the Nanaimo Hospital at the first meeting of the 1930 board. Mr. R. T. Wilson was elected vice-president and Mr. W. McGirr, secretary. New members on the board were Mr. James Green, city representative, and Mr. George Moore, of the Western Fuel Employees' Hospital Association.

The monthly reports showed a continued increase in the number of patients admitted with an average of forty-seven per day in the hospital. The cost per patient per day has been kept at $3.19. The ward furnished by the Canadian Legion and the private room furnished by the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are both in use.

ANOTHER REPORT IS 'EXAGGERATED'

John A. MacDonald, After Thirty-Two Years, Proves Death Wrongly Presumed

By WILLIAM J. McNULTY
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SAINT JOHN, N.B., Feb. 24.—Like Mark Twain, John A. MacDonald has declared the report of his death was grossly exaggerated.

The difference in the treatment is that the late humorist made his denial promptly, and Mr. MacDonald waited thirty-two years to question his passing.

When the South African war with the Boers broke out, Mr. MacDonald volunteered for service and was accepted. He left his home at South Lake, P.E.I., thirty-two years ago, and has not been seen there since. Within a few months after his departure from home, it was reported he was killed near Pretoria.

In that time Mr. MacDonald's relatives on Prince Edward Island had not received a word from him, and as time passed, they mourned him as dead, although there had been no official report of his death in action with the British forces.

The relatives made efforts to trace him, but all these were futile. In 1898, the missing man left behind him in a bank at Charlottetown, P.E.I., a deposit of about $100. This has remained unclaimed, with accruing interest.

Recently, one of the MacDonalds at South Lake, was the recipient of a letter bearing a South African postmark. On opening the envelope, he found it was a request from John A. MacDonald, for the latter's birth certificate. It was explained in the few words which comprised the letter, that Mr. MacDonald found himself in need of the birth certificate, in connection with his business as a gold mine promoter in South Africa. He wrote he was very successful in this field, and also that, although he was over age during the world war, he had enlisted in South Africa and had served for over a year with the British forces in the East.

Modern Speech Has Singular Restraint Archbishop Thinks

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, Feb. 24.—There is a singular restraint in modern speech, said the Archbishop of York, Dr. William Temple, in lecturing on "Science and Poetry" at Middlesbrough. "We express all our feelings by saying much less than we really mean. The kind of expression with which a modern lover seeks to make the mistress of his heart and life is, 'Well, old bean, what about it?' In an age when that is natural the sort of expression used by Jessica in "The Merchant of Venice" may seem rather highly flown and unnecessary.

"In poetry the whole enjoyment consists in mental repose and peace. One cannot appreciate a poem fully until, at least, the second time of reading. Aesthetic enjoyment, in its highest nature, is always trembling on the verge of worship."

A woman was upbraiding her husband on his drunken habits, and saying he was ruining his health.

"Don't be alarmed about me, my dear," he said. "The doctor says I'm in the pink of condition."

"You should have asked him to look at your tongue, and not your nose," retorted his wife.

Little Leonard—"Father, are kings and queens always good?"

Father—"Not always, my boy. Not when there are aces out against them."



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2 lbs. for ..... **55¢**
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Mutton Chops, loin, lb. **40¢**
Mutton Chops, rib, lb. **25¢**
Veal Chops, per lb..... **45¢**
Pork Chops, per lb. ..... **40¢**
Mutton Breast, per lb.... **15¢**
Corned Briskets, per lb.. **20¢**
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Business issued in Canada in 1929 (Includes business revived and increased)		$232,324,966
Ordinary	$121,831,635	
Industrial	82,838,381	
Group	27,654,950	
Business in force in Canada at end of 1929		947,927,397
Ordinary	499,689,064	
Industrial	381,469,334	
Group	66,768,999	
Investments in Canada		189,300,437
Dominion Government Bonds	43,454,133	
Provincial and Municipal Bonds	77,551,547	
All other Investments	68,294,757	
Policies in force in Canada		2,739,358
Payments to Canadian Policyholders in 1929		15,967,379



CANADIAN HEAD OFFICE: OTTAWA

Growth in Ten-Year Periods
(Position at End of Year)

Year	Policies in Force	Insurance Outstanding	Assets
1879	12,823	$11,666,967	$2,022,482.45
1889	1,852,432	204,816,521	8,597,468.77
1899	4,980,704	800,531,009	51,070,840.74
1909	10,621,679	2,041,951,700	277,107,868.46
1919	21,914,120	5,343,652,434	864,750,023.88
1929	44,333,332	17,933,600,452	3,010,560,051.38

Financial Report to Policyholders
for Year Ending December 31, 1929

Assets		$3,010,560,051.38	
Liabilities:			
Statutory Reserve	$2,625,110,967.00		
Dividends to Policyholders payable 1930	82,264,508.86		
All other liabilities	125,743,543.37		
Unassigned Funds	177,441,032.15		
		$3,010,560,051.38	
Increase in Assets during 1929		$315,084,085.74	
Income in 1929		818,682,519.99	
Gain in income, 1929		75,270,134.78	
Paid-for Life Insurance Issued, Increased and Revived in 1929		3,374,600,626.00	
Total Bonuses and Dividends to Policyholders from 1897 to and including 1930		529,705,988.65	

Life Insurance Outstanding

Ordinary Insurance	$8,649,002,429.00
Industrial Insurance (premiums payable weekly or monthly)	6,729,181,723.00
Group Insurance	2,555,416,300.00
Total Insurance Outstanding	17,933,600,452.00
Number of Policies in Force (Including 1,442,240 Group Certificates)	44,333,332

Accident and Health Insurance Outstanding

Principal Sum Benefit	$1,190,131,574.00
Weekly Indemnity	13,928,139.00

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Miss M. Normand Moving Picture Actress Is Dead

MONROVIA, Cal., Feb. 24.—Miss Mabel Normand is dead.

The elfin film commedienne, who took her final cue from the Great Director early yesterday morning, went into the fadeout as she entered the prologue—smiling.

Her private secretary and closest friend, Mrs. Julia Benson, who was with her until the last, told how the girl who has made millions laugh, faced the end of the picture in those quiet hours before dawn.

C.P.R. EARNINGS

MONTREAL, Que., Feb. 24.—Traffic earnings of the Canadian Pacific Railway for the week ending February 21 were $2,933,000 as compared with $3,387,000 for the corresponding period last year, a decrease of $445,000.

THREE MILLION INCREASE

Canadians from coast to coast, who have 2,739,358 policies in the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company will be interested to know that payments to policyholders in Canada in 1929 amounted to $15,992,826, representing an increase of over three million dollars over the preceding year. Insurance in force in Canada amounts to almost a billion dollars, being $947,927,397. New insurance issued in 1929 totaled $232,324,966, an increase of over twenty millions of dollars.



HENRY E. NORTH
Third Vice-President and Manager for Canada.

Canadian investments of Metropolitan Life continue to increase, having reached $189,300,457, an increase in the twelve months of almost eighteen millions. These investments are in Dominion and Provincial Government and Municipal Bonds and Mortgage Loans. Metropolitan Life is graphically shown in a survey of ten-year periods. Total policies in force at the end of 1929 amounted to 44,333,332, covering $17,933,600,452 insurance. Assets total $3,010,560,051.

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Plants and Gear Limitation Held Imperative Need

Mr. Richard Bell-Irving Tells Fisheries Committee That Regulations of Hon. S. L. Howe Are Effort to Stabilize Fishing Industry in British Columbia

How Canners' Co-operative Agreement Has Functioned

THE limitation of both fishing plants and fishing gear is the only means by which the industry can be conserved and stabilized, was the opinion expressed by Mr. Richard Bell-Irving, assistant manager of the Anglo-British Columbia Packing Company, when he appeared before the fisheries committee of the Legislature last night.

Mr. Bell-Irving stated that prior to 1905, fishing and canning was unrestricted, and the operations of both became excessive. The canners appealed to the Government for assistance. Messrs. Babcock and Williams, under commission of 1905-1907, after thorough investigation, recommended drastic regulations, limiting canneries to those in existence, and drastically reduced fishing equipment, fixing and attaching a rating to each cannery. These recommendations were introduced in 1908, and remained in force until 1912 for plants, and 1920 for fishing equipment. No complaints, he said, whatever were made when these drastic regulations were introduced.

MORE SERIOUS NOW

"Mr. Howe, Commissioner of Fisheries, is attempting to stabilize the industry in the same way, to the best of his ability, under the limited jurisdiction his Government now has, at a time when conditions are much more serious than in 1905, and when the same raw fish supply is divided amongst a much larger number of fishermen and operators," Mr. Bell-Irving declared.

The speaker considered drastic steps must be taken immediately, and the Provincial Government should, by legislation, empower the Commissioner to introduce at his discretion regulations which he may consider necessary for stabilization. Should such regulations prove to be inadequate, or unjust, they could be changed by order-in-council, he pointed out.

The canners and fishermen were interdependent, and the community at large was vitally affected, he said. A prosperous industry benefits the whole community, as well as bringing added revenue to the province. Investment in other industries would be encouraged by a sound policy, assuring stability, he claimed.

"It is humanly impossible for anyone to introduce regulations which will at first be satisfactory to all; but the aspirations of the very small minority must not be permitted to jeopardize the investments, and wishes of the large majority in the salmon industry and the province at large," declared the speaker.

Mr. Bell-Irving contended that if raw material in any industry were limited, there must be restricted operations to insure prosperity. The raw material in the salmon industry was limited by Federal control, to safeguard conservation. To conserve supply, the Federal Government limits fishing equipment for maximum fishing hours but at the same time issues unlimited fishing licences.

"Unless fishing equipment is kept down to Federal Government conservation limit, the fishing hours are cut down and decreased earnings to the fishermen and increased costs to the operators will be the result," he stated.

INCREASE IN LICENCES

Cannery and fishing licences have been unrestricted since 1913 and 1920, respectively. Since then, licences have increased as follows: Salmon gill net licences, 96 per cent; salmon purse licences, 649 per cent, and salmon cannery licences, 54 per cent. The same limited supply of raw material being divided between this larger number of plants and fishermen, obviously means less fish for both, with higher costs to the operators, because of the necessity to protect fishermen's earnings with higher raw fish prices. Raw fish prices of sockeye during this period (1913-1920) increased 350 per cent, and other varieties in like proportion. This over fishing and higher costs was inevitable under existing Federal regulations, culminating in the disaster of 1927, when the industry lost $2,000,000, he said.

This very situation, Mr. Bell-Irving remarked, was anticipated in 1920, when emphatic protests against regulations permitting unrestricted fishing were made to Ottawa by merchants, bankers, fishermen's organizations, canner's associations and returned soldiers' organizations. In December, 1927, the Federal authorities stated that unless drastic reduction in fishing equipment was made, more stringent regulations would be introduced to assure conservation. The outcome was the Canners' Co-operative Agreement of June 5, 1928, when 97 per cent of the canning interests became signatories for a five-year period.

Mr. Bell-Irving told the committee that the purpose of that agreement was to voluntarily reduce the fishing equipment in use in order to assist the Federal Government towards conservation, and thereby return to an economical basis of operation, and for the benefit of the fishermen by limiting gear to the Government conservation figure, thereby dividing the catch between fewer fishermen and those who made fishing their business, and also to secure for them maximum fishing hours. He said the canners had the support of the bulk of the fishermen in this voluntary effort to stabilize the industry.

The speaker declared that in 1928, the first year of the agreement, fishing equipment was reduced by: Salmon gill net licences, 22.9 per cent, and salmon purse seine licences, 40 per cent. No new canneries were allowed to be built by any signatory to the agreement.

NEW CANNERIES BUILT

During 1928 and 1929, the Federal Government would not, he stated, and the Provincial Government could not prevent new canneries being built by new comers, who came in under the protected policy of the Canners' Agreement, with the consequence that five new canneries were built, each with its own quota of fishing equipment. These additional licences added to the voluntarily reduced equipment of those in the agreement, again brought the total beyond the Federal conservation limit, shortening fishing hours in certain areas.

"Unless the Provincial Government seizes the opportunity now given them, by the Privy Council, and as requested, limit the number of canneries to those in existence, conditions will again become chaotic as in 1927, and the 97 per cent of the canners, who as suggested by the Federal Government, attempted to stabilize the industry under the Canners' Agreement, and who are still bound to that limitation for a further three years, will be penalized, instead of being given the protection to which they are entitled," Mr. Bell-Irving said.

Mr. Bell-Irving answered a number of questions asked by members of the committee, and will be on the witness stand again this morning, when the fisheries committee resumes its session at 9 o'clock. It is probable that the committee will complete its public hearings today.

With Announcement Of New Low Prices Pantorium Dye Works Swamped With Work

Plant Will Have to Work Overtime to Keep Pace With Rush—Modern Machinery Responsible for New Prices—Have Modern Plant

"Yesterday was the largest day's business in the history of the firm," stated Mr. Herschel Brown, of the Pantorium Dye Works of Canada, Limited, last evening. "Following our announcement Sunday of a reduction in the price of cleaning and pressing men's suits, today our phones were flooded with calls and it will be necessary to keep our plant working overtime all this week to keep pace with the rush."

During the past few weeks the Pantorium Dye Works installed additional dry cleaning machinery, and with this new equipment a larger volume can be handled. It is through this saving the Pantorium Dry Cleaning Works have been able to announce new low prices on men's cleaning and pressing.

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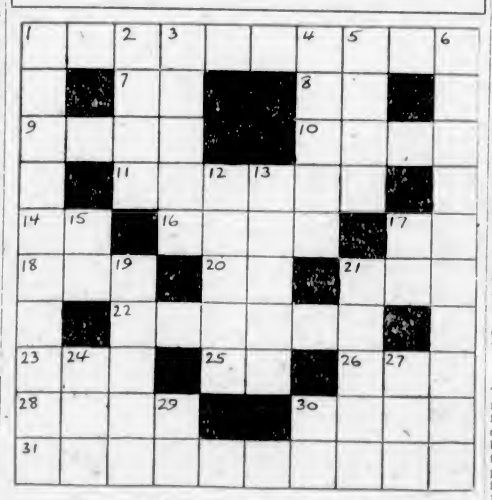


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7. Form of address.
8. The Empire State (ab.).
9. Promontory.
10. Glade.
11. Tailor.
14. Unit of weight (ab.).
16. Distribute.
17. Engaged in.
18. Sap used for varnish.
20. Metric unit of area.
21. According to.
22. More crimson.
23. Born.
25. Thus.
26. Artificial language.
28. Female student.
30. Turn.
31. Particularly.

DOWN

1. State of being very fine.
2. Lesser demons.
3. Walk on.
4. Compound of indigo and zinc dust.
5. Town in Massachusetts.
6. Opening oration.
12. Peruses.
13. Slow (musical direction).
15. Collegiate degree (ab.).
17. Man's nickname.
19. Move slowly.
21. Spirit of the air.
24. Aurora.
27. Eastern State (ab.).
29. Of (Latin phrases).
30. Southern State (ab.).

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ANSWER TO SUNDAY'S PUZZLE

ELECTION IS FORECAST AS LIKELY SOON

Continued from Page 1

his Canadian subjects. That pleasure was further increased to those who had heard the speech delivered by the King at the opening of the Naval Disarmament Conference. Mr. Gray had no doubt that the success of that meeting would be greatly enhanced by the fact of the great interest which His Majesty took in it.

COUNTRY'S PROSPERITY

He voiced satisfaction at the reference in the speech to the prosperity which the country was enjoying. It was true that last year's wheat crop had not been so great as former years, but manufacturing and employment had reached the highest point on record. There was a continually increasing foreign trade, and at fifty-six strategic points throughout the world, Canada had established trade commissioners who were not only promoting trade, but were also disseminating good-will towards this country.

In view of the Economic Conference that was to be held in London this Fall it was pleasing to recall that the policy of the Liberal party had always been to develop trade within the Empire. This is indicated by the trade figures which showed that in the past eight years Canada's convenience with the British Dominions had increased by $300,000,000.

Of particular importance was the reference in the Speech from the Throne to the completion of the Welland Canal. The 800-foot lock would permit a passage down to the St. Lawrence of the huge grain boats. The success of the whole venture stood as a lasting memorial to Canadian engineers and to the industry of this country.

WOMEN SENATORS

Mr. Gray applauded the decision of the judicial committee of the Privy Council in declaring "that women are persons." The present Government has been quick to apply this with the result that one woman now sat in the Senate, and Mr. Gray believed that this fact would be reflected in the national life of Canada. The Liberal Government had been true to its traditions and was ever receptive to new ideas.

The Government's intention of introducing legislation dealing with returned soldiers was warmly approved. The problem was now one of dealing with the war-worn man, the burnt-out soldier. He hoped provision would be made for the establishment of service bureaus whose duty it would be to assist men about to apply for pensions. He felt that the House would deal fairly and adequately with this debt of honor to the returned soldier.

TRIBUTE TO PREDECESSOR

Mr. Vincent Dupuis (Liberal, Laprairie-Napierville), in seconding the motion for an address, paid tribute to his predecessor, Mr. Roch Lanctot, who had represented that riding for many years, and also to the late Hon. Mr. Robb and G. D. Jorin.

The prosperity which had manifested itself since the advent of the Liberal party was still apparent, he said, and gave him great hope for the future. Deficits had been changed to surpluses, revenues had increased, and the burdens borne upon shoulders of the people had been lightened.

Mr. Dupuis touched briefly on international affairs, approving the conslusions of the last conference in London at which Hon. Ernest Lapointe represented Canada, and endorsing Canada's signature to the optional clause of the World Court.

Coming nearer home, Mr. Dupuis felt that the last word had not yet been said on the question of the difference between Canada and Newfoundland regarding Labrador. He raised the point whether, in view of the independent status of Canada and the other dominions, the judicial committee of the Privy Council had had the right to adjuicate on a question which to him, was clearly international. He felt that the sole tribunal competent to deal with a question of that character was the Permanent Court of International Justice.

He expressed satisfaction at the elevation of Hon. Mrs. Wilson to the Senate.

LEADER OF OPPOSITION

Declaring the Speech from the Throne was a record of the past rather than a prognostication of the future, Hon. R. B. Bennett, leader of the Opposition continued the debate. It was useless, he said, for the Government to talk of the prosperity of 1928 when it had nothing to say for the depression of 1929. The Speech from the Throne should give some indication of how the Government proposed to deal with the problems confronting the country today.

"In the many years which have elapsed since Confederation," he said, "it would be difficult to find a Speech from the Throne so vague, so empty, so lacking in all the things which it should contain."

In ironic tones Mr. Bennett paid his respects to the newest Cabinet minister, Hon. T. A. Crerar, Minister of Railways. He congratulated him on his accession to the Government benches and remarked that the new minister must feel somewhat peculiar when, on looking across at the Opposition he saw men who had formerly been his colleagues and on looking along his fellow ministers he saw Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, who had once bitterly denounced the Union Government of which Mr. Crerar was a member.

Recalling Mr. Crerar's resignation from the Union Government and his subsequent leadership of the Progressive party with its free trade policy, the Conservative leader said it was not entirely surprising to find him a member of a 'Cabinet without a common purpose, without common views on any matter of importance."

Mr. Crerar had gone about the country, Mr. Bennett observed, denouncing protection for industry, cotton, rubber and others. In contrast to this was the recent utterance of the Minister of National Revenue, Mr. Euler, for protection. In the same Cabinet also was the Minister of Trade and Commerce, Mr. Malcolm, who was interested in the furniture business, enjoying 30 per cent protection.

WHAT OF PROSPERITY

The Government, the Opposition leader proceeded, had made reference to prosperity. Was there any member in the House, Mr. Bennett questioned, as prosperous as he was last year.

The Conservative leader said he had traveled from one end of the country to the other, and he had found a condition of abnormal unemployment. Men were going about trying to keep body and soul together, and all they asked was the chance to work.

The United States was calling a conference at White House in the matter. The only conference that was being called by the Government was one as to how best they could ward off the unemployed and maintain their power and position.

There was greater unemployment in Canada than had existed in the last quarter of a century, Mr. Bennett said, yet the Government had absolutely failed to take any steps to deal with the situation.

GRAIN SITUATION

Mr. Bennett directed the attention of the House to the agricultural industry. "What has this Government done about agriculture in the last twelve months?" he asked. "What has it done in the last few weeks?"

Of the entire production of wheat of last year, the Conservative leader stated, 55 per cent was pool wheat and 45 per cent non-pool, and there had therefore been a free and open market with respect to 45 per cent of last year's crop. The Minister of National Revenue, Mr. Bennett proceeded, had been taking an interest in respect to the sale of mining stock, but what had the Minister of National Revenue (Mr. Euler) to say about the selling of hundreds of millions of bushels short on the market? Mr. Bennett suggested that Mr. Euler should lay these facts before the Ontario Liberal leader, Mr. W. E. Sinclair, so that the Liberal leader would make a speech on the wheat situation similar to what he had made in respect to mining.

The Conservative leader enquired what had Mr. Dunning and Mr. Crerar, both formerly interested in the grain trade, to say on the subject. The poor farmers had been told over the radio to hold on when the wheat was quoted at $1.45, or in that neighborhood, and the market had broken.

The situation required someone, speaking for the country as a whole, to make it clear that less than 55 per cent of the entire wheat production of this country was in the hands of the Wheat Pool, and that the non-pool wheat constituted 45 per cent of the total production.

On the Grain Exchange at Winnipeg, we saw wheat selling at $1.45, $1.53, $1.60 and higher prices per bushel, and at that time the farmers were being advised over the radio, by men who they thought were responsible, to hold their wheat. Then the market broke, and wheat rushed down to less than $1.20 a bushel.

Glasgow's "kiss shop" (in aid of charity) has been a failure, and nothing else could have been expected. Kisses are either too dear or too cheap at sixpence apiece.—London Observer.

St. Joseph's Hospital Agreement Is Urged

A statement from Alderman Adam in reply to the report presented by Alderman Woodward on matters connected with St. Joseph's Hospital was read at last night's City Council. Alderman Adam said that it was not correct to say that the staff of the hospital received no pay. They were given salaries. The paying patients did not form the proportion of total cases that had been stated in the report. Nonpaying patients amounted to 32 per cent of the whole. Nor was it true that the provincial receipts covered the cost of the charity cases. He urged that the city should carry out the agreement entered into in 1926, or should otherwise co-operate.

It was decided that consideration of the subject should stand over until next Monday.

AN INTERESTING FAMILY HISTORY

Dr. Robert G. Jackson's paternal grandfather, father and eleven paternal uncles and aunts, and his own brother and sister, all died of heart disease. At 50 the great Sir Wm. Osler gave the doctor himself only four months to live, dying from heart disease and "general breakdown." He'd lived five years on the ground floor, unable to climb stairs. Four years after Osler gave him up he climbed the fifty stories in Washington's monument, up and down, and was not even tired. As a result of changed living habits—chiefly a change from civilization's disease-causing acid foods to alkali-forming Roman Meal. His 428-page book, "HOW TO BE ALWAYS WELL," tells the entire story—shows how anyone may be always well by natural means. Remit $3 by P.O. order for a copy, or write for descriptive literature to ROBT. G. JACKSON, M.D., 315 Vine Avenue, Toronto 9, Ont., or write for free sample of Roman Meal. (Advt.)

This Life

By J. H. Bittiebel



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Religion and Medicine and Government

THREE hundred years ago, priests were selling the public immunity from sin and crime at SO MUCH PER. So commercialized, so corrupt and to so gigantic a scale did this business grow that the public rose up in arms, rebelled and crushed the whole infamous religious machine.

The principle of selling immunity from sin was vicious; the traffic was monstrous.

Today, modern churches, Protestant and Catholic alike, are preaching to an enlightened public that the only way to purchase immunity from sin is by living a good life. And it is the job of the modern minister and priest to explain in detail how to tune in with the laws of nature, which are the laws of God, and thus live that good life.

But it took the Calvins, the St. Francis', the Luthers, the Voltaires, the Spinozas and the John Wesleys to open the eyes of the public and bring about that change.

What was taking place in religion 300 years ago is now taking place in medical practice. Instead of teaching people right living, teaching children and grown-ups the newer knowledge of nutrition and health mechanics, our "priests of medicine" are out selling, in a wholesale way "immunity" from every imaginable disease, from colds to cancer, through the black magic of filty vaccines and serums and unnecessary operations.

So gross and greedy has this medical practice grown that whole communities, and even new-born babies are now urged, through Medical Association Bulletins and state medicos to buy holy rerum "immunity" at SO MUCH PER and hospitals and graves throughout the country are being filled with victims of unnecesary surgical operations at SO MUCH PER.

So audacious, so commercial, and so corrupt have the medical associations become that it is little wonder the public is up in arms defending itself and demanding that the medicals clean house.

Even those doctors among the profession whose open mind and horse sense tell them that their black magic serums and their cutting and carving at SYMPTOMS instead of in a common sense, understandable way tackling CAUSES is 300 years out of date, but these minority members have been compelled by their medical associations, and even by a portion of public opinion, into continuing something they know is wrong.

Just as the religion of the old church and the old priesthood had a certain mystical, superstitious hold upon the public, so until today medicine and the medical doctor have had a mystical hold that the public has had difficulty in shaking.

The old church did not realize how tyrannical and cruel and intolerant it had grown against those liberal minds of other branches of open-minded and advanced religious thought who disagreed with the old doctrine. Neither does the medical group today seem to realize the crimes that are daily practiced in the name of medicine and science, and the intolerance of medicals to other and unquestionally advanced branches of healing.

But it was not until it tried to run and control the state and government that the old catholicism came into open conflict with the public; and it was not until a few years ago, when vicious and venal-minded medical organizers like the Morris Fishbeins and the Edwin Clamps, et al., attempted wholesale vaccinations and attempted to get control of state and provincial governments, that a suffering public finally turned against medical autocracy.

If the Medical Association is now to save itself, it has got to clean house; it has got to drop and drop quickly its intolerant Fishbeins and Clamps; it has got to stop its commercial orgy of "immunization" by filthy vaccination; it has got to adopt a sympathetic and friendly attitude to all branches of therapeutic healing; and the medical colleges and doctors, if they are going to progress, and be of real service to the human family, will have to teach people how to get well and stay well via the newer knowledge of nutrition and health mechanics.

Like the old church which stood before the bar of an outraged public to answer for its persecution, its tortures and its burning, the medical doctors now stand before the bar of public opinion charged with their hideous campaign of immunization, unnecessary operations and medical malpractice.

Today it is an enlightened public the medicals have to deal with; it is a public that knows that there is only one road to health, like there is only one road to Heaven, and that road calls for a study and practice of Nature's laws of health; it is a public that knows there is only one immunity from disease, just as there is only one immunity from sin, and that immunity is RIGHT LIVING.

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Doukhobors' May Settle In Mexico

(Associated Press)

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 24.—A group of Russians who have spent some time investigating agricultural conditions in the State of Tamaulipas have asked for an audience with President Ortiz Rubio.

It was said they were satisfied with conditions in Mexico and seek only the President's guarantee of security before transfering to Mexico 20,000 Russians now residing in Canada and Northern United States.

There have been reports that representatives of Doukhobors resident in Canada have been investigating conditions in Mexico with a view to transferring the Canadian colonies of these people to that country. Dispatches from Mexico failed to definitely identify the Russians as connected with the Canadian immigrants.

City Engineer to Aid Committee on Auditorium Plans

In a letter to the Mayor which was presented at last night's council meeting, Mr. Alfred Carmichael, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium committee, enclosed a copy of a plan indicating the position of the proposed building. This plan provides for a building 312 feet long, facing on Belleville Street, and 138 feet wide. Belleville Street is shown diverted in a westerly direction from the end of the Crystal Garden, and part of the street as it is at present is occupied by the building.

Mr. Carmichael stated that in presenting their auditorium-skating rink proposal to the Canadian Pacific Railway, the committee would find it useful if it had a sketch of the topography of the lots, and of the portion of the street to be used, together with certain other data. The city engineer, however, reported that to do this would require at least a week's work. The public works committee also reported that in view of the responsibility involved the committee could not recommend giving to the city engineer the instructions requested, but would suggest that Mr. Carmichael be informed that the city engineer will supply the necessary information regarding water mains and other works involved. The recommendation of the committee was approved.

Nerves Were Bad
Could Not Sleep
Tired All Day Long

Miss Florence Coutier, Bark Lake, Ont., writes:—"I was troubled with my nerves, could not sleep at night, and felt tired all day long.

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LIONS MOVE UP IN RACE FOR COAST ICE TITLE

Phil Scott Believes Days of Brutal Ring Bouts in U.S. Waning

British Heavyweight Contender Says Scientific Style Will Replace Caveman Methods—Declares Game Has Suffered in America

By PHIL SCOTT
Heavyweight Champion of England and Opponent of Jack Sharkey.

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MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 24.—I have returned to America convinced that, unnoticed by the majority, boxing has suffered its greatest change since it was introduced into this country.

The taste for bloody contests, which ended many years ago in England, is at last on the wane in America. Faced with the result of years of education, American boxing promoters find themselves without a caveman to satisfy the demand for brutality and blood.

During the last twenty years the majority of British boxers have been coldly received in America, and their contests derided by American critics because they have failed to show the "killer" instinct. Recently, however, British boxing science has caused alarm among followers of the game in America.

It takes a long time for education to overcome animal instinct, and because America is practically a new country the effects are only just beginning to appear. I believe Jack Dempsey will go down in boxing history as the last of America's spectacular fighting men.

Gene Tunny, because he was a scientist rather than a brute, was never a popular champion in America, and he may prove to be the last American for many years to come to have the world's heavyweight championship.

CAMPOLO DISAPPOINTMENT

Vittoria Campolo, Argentine giant, was a great disappointment when his brute force failed against my science, and the advent of another potential "man killer" in Primo Carnera has encouraged American promoters to offer the Italian huge sums to satisfy the popular taste. Carnera should make a fortune in the not difficult task of cleaning up America's heavyweights, but he must be careful to avoid a strong and scientific opponent.

Many scenes are applauded in America that would never be tolerated in England. To see a man punched all over the ring with only his indomitable spirit keeping him on his feet is not pleasant, and a British referee would not hesitate to intervene and stop the slaughter. In America, however, the referee who cheated his audience of the final "kill" would be howled down by the crowd.

I have always regarded boxing as a scientific sport and I never received so much as a black eye during my first eighty contests. The idea of smashing a helpless and beaten opponent into unconsciousness has never appealed to me and my popularity with the crowd has suffered in consequence.

When I fought Riccardo Bartazzolo in England the critics were loud in proclaiming their contempt for a champion unable to finish his man off in the good old-fashioned style, and have never ceased to mention that contest as the most ridiculous one they have ever seen.

EXTRAORDINARY ANTICS

The truth is that Bartazzolo's extraordinary antics so amazed me that I was too dumbfounded to administer a knockout. At every opportunity he hung on to my arms and shoulders like a frightened child, and much of my time was occupied tearing myself away from him. When he finally hung on the ropes and looked appealingly at his second for the towel to be thrown in I felt too disgusted to finish matters.

Failing to punish your opponent is condemned in America, and critics will not hesitate to say you are "yellow." British boxers who have made good in America have all been punishing fighters, and among them can be mentioned such terrific punchers as Kid Lewis and Johnny Summers. At present there is Kid Berg, who wins by sheer ferocity and punching power.

Such scientific boxers as Jack Hood and Lon Harvey would never satisfy an American crowd, and their recent contests, which held an English crowd spellbound with admiration, would have been laughed to scorn this side of the Atlantic.

Britain rejected Carnera after his first fight with Young Stribling at Albert Hall because sheer brute force makes no appeal in my country. But America has still enough of the "killer" element to hail the Italian as one who, until he is beaten, can satisfy its desire for bloody contests.

In his heyday there was no more popular heavyweight in Britain than Bombardier Billy Wells, who delighted the crowd with his boxing skill, but he failed to please the Yankees. Joe Beckett, essentially a fighter, always complained of lack of support from his countrymen.

That science can overcome brute strength is proved in the cases of Jimmy Wilde, Jim Driscoll, Benny Leonard and Jack Britton, who could give away pounds and administer a beating to the best fighters.

BRUTAL TACTICS FAILING

American "butcher" tactics are failing to hold their own against British science, which has been slowly perfecting itself the last twenty years. In boxing, at least, America is behind the times, and finds herself without an exponent of the new school of scientific boxers.

Since Tunney gave up his crown there has been a frantic search for one worthy to succeed him, and all sorts and conditions have been pushed into the limelight only to fall short of the required standard for a world champion.

World's ring championships, so long the exclusive property of America, are on their way back to the cradle of boxing, and we have British champions today whose science can deal successfully with brute strength.

Because Americans have failed so far to take to the change, it may be many years before they can alter their methods and produce a scientific boxer capable of beating Britain's best.

Lardner Must Have His Little Joke



By AL DEMAREE
(Former Pitcher New York Giants)

Nick Altrock and Ring Lardner were having a little sociable game of golf.

They were playing the seventh hole and Nick had knocked his tee shot into the sand trap.

"I had taken six or seven strokes trying to get out," explained Nick, "when I noticed Clark Griffin coming up behind us.

"What'll I do now?" moaned Altrock, as he turned to Lardner.

"Keep on digging," advised Ring. "He'll think you're a workman repairing the trap."

It was Lardner who just missed the head of the late Warren Harding with his tee shot when the latter was President.

"What were your thoughts when your ball missed the President's head by inches?" he was asked.

"I was just wondering what kind of a President Calvin Coolidge would make," was the solemn reply.

CRICKET MATCH IS LEFT DRAWN

New Zealanders Play Out Time to Gain Draw in Fourth Test Against England

(Canadian Press Cable)

AUCKLAND, N.Z., Feb. 24.—The fourth cricket test match between England and New Zealand was today left drawn. England thus won the rubber, as the tourists secured a victory in one match, two were drawn, while one could not be played owing to rain. Scores in the fourth match were:

England, first innings, 540; second innings, 22 for 3 wickets. New Zealand, first innings, 387.

After a shaky start on their innings on Saturday, when they lost 4 wickets for 174, New Zealand did better today. Lowry, playing a real captain innings, scored 80 and got splendid assistance from Weir, 63, and McGirr, 51. When the New Zealand innings ended it was late in the afternoon, and Gilligan sent in his tailenders to play out time.

The scores:

New Zealand—Second Innings

Dempster, c Cornford, b Allom	27
Mills, c Duleepsingh, b Allom	12
Heir, b Barratt	63
Page, c Cornford, b Woolley	25
Blunt, b Nicholas	0
Allcott, run out	33
Lowry, lbw, b Allom	80
McGirr, std Cornford, b Woolley	51
James, lbw, b Worthington	14
Merritt, not out	18
Matheson, b Allom	7
Extras	57
Total	387

Bowing Analysis

	O	M	R	W
Allom	24	5	42	4
Woolley	41	10	100	2
Worthington	15	5	25	1
Nichols	19	4	45	1
Bowley	27	6	58	1
Barratt	37	12	60	1

England—Second Innings

Cornford, b Matheson	2
Dawson, b Matheson	6
Legge, b Blunt	0
Nicholas, not out	7
Extras	7
Total, for three wickets	22

Bowling Analysis—Matheson, two wickets for 11; Blunt, one wicket for 4.

Customer (entering motor shop)—"I should like to see some really good second-hand cars, please."

Dealer—"So should I."

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . . By Ripley



EXPLANATION FOR SUNDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

61-Year-Old Fire in Summit Hill Coal Mine, Pennsylvania—The fire originated from an unknown source in 1869, in the mining properties of the Lehigh Coal & Navigation Co., at Lansford, Pa. Despite the careful and expensive measures taken to extinguish the fire, it still burns and smolders constantly.

Norman Falkner Skates on One Leg—Though Mr. Falkner lost his right leg in the World War, it did not prevent him from resuming his pre-war pastime on the ice. He does any of the trick and figure dances, forward and backward. The feat is accomplished by an unusual body swing which Mr. Falkner employs. His address is 26 Larkin Avenue, 3, Toronto, Canada.

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Sixteen Candidates Named for Positions On "Rep" Rugby Team

Final Practice Will Be Held at Oak Bay Park Tomorrow Night at 7:30—Play Varsity at Vancouver Saturday

The selection committee of the Victoria Rugby Union, which was faced with the task of naming the "rep" squad for Saturday's McKechnie Cup match at Vancouver against Varsity, last night decided to wait until after tomorrow night's practice at Oak Bay Park before making the final selection. However, the following sixteen candidates have been named, and from them Victoria will make her last appearance of the 1929-30 season in the intercity series. Those named follow: B. Forbes, Walton, Warnock, C. Forbes, G. Wenman, J. Rowland, Goad, Cockin, Turgoose, Hume, Fell, R. Wenman, Kinsman, Webster, Ruttan and Dan Parfitt.

Tomorrow's practice, to be held at Oak Bay Park, will start at 7:30 o'clock, beneath the glim of electric lights. Here Coach Phil Willis, Captain W. G. Coventry and Bob Travis, members of the selection committee, will put the players through their final grind before the Vancouver match.

Bob Travis, who was named manager of the "rep" team, may not be able to make the trip to the Mainland. If such is the case, Bob McInnes, manager of the J.B.A.A., will accompany the fifteen, along with Phil Willis, secretary of the union.

McDONALD MISSING

It will be seen that Jack McDonald, husky forward of the J.B.A.A., who has performed on two previous "rep" fifteens, is numbered among the missing in the above selection.

Walton, of Victoria College, has caught the eyes of the selection committee and will be given a try-out at tomorrow's practice. In the event of his securing a position on Victoria's "rep" side, he will be the second intermediate player to gain such recognition this season. Dave Ellis, skipper of the collegians, performed on two occasions for Victoria against visiting squads.

Victoria Rugby Union has selected Captain Levine as the official referee. His name, in company with that of "Buck" Leo, of Vancouver, was submitted by Varsity.

HEPBURN CAPTURES MONTHLY WINNERS' MEET AT OAK BAY

In the final for the winners of the six monthly competitions played Sunday at the Victoria Golf Club, H. F. Hepburn finished one down to capture the honors. A. G. Beasley was runner-up, five down. The tourney was thirty-six holes match play against par, with three-quarters of the handicap allowed.

The scores follow:

	H'cap	Down
H. F. Hepburn	16	1
A. G. Beasley	10	5
W. A. R. Hadley	22	6
H. J. Davis	22	10
Alex Watson	10	10
R. Peachey	18	13

BOB SHAWKEY WILL BE LENIENT PILOT IF BOYS ARE GOOD

(Associated Press)

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 24.—Bob Shawkey, new manager of the New York Yankees, is prepared to be a lenient pilot for the boys as long as they behave.

Under Shawkey's common sense policy, there will be golf for those who want to play and no rigid curfew except for those who take advantage of his leniency.

McGILL HOOPSTERS LOSE TO TORONTO

LONDON, Ont., Feb. 24.—Defeating McGill University, 53 points to 40, University of Toronto captured the intercollegiate basketball championship here Saturday for the fifth time in eight years of its existence.

Sharkey Figures 15 Minutes Will Be Enough to Win

By WALTER TRUMBULL

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 24.—Jack Sharkey has made few statements since he started training here, but he made one today.

"Here is the last of my hard work," he said. "I'm through now, except for light exercise tomorrow and some calisthenics on Wednesday. Then it will be a matter of possibly fifteen more minutes of heavy work in the ring."

That would appear to indicate that Jack expects to win inside of five rounds.

"I used to boast," continued Sharkey, "but I suppose I've learned better as I have grown older. Still, here is one promise I will make. Tell American boxing fans the heavyweight championship of the world will remain in America and that Jack Sharkey will see that it is kept here."

Al Lacey, Sharkey's trainer, announced that Sharkey was the best conditioned athlete he had ever handled and 50 per cent better than he was when he boxed Young Stribling a year ago.

SCHOOL FIFTEEN TO PLAY COLLEGE

Intermediate Rugby Fifteens to Clash at High School Ground —Two Other Matches

With Victoria's "rep" fifteen playing in Vancouver on Saturday, the decks will be cleared for action by the six intermediate clubs. The feature dish on the menu should be the College-University School tussle at Victoria High School ground. The other games will see Oak Bay Wanderers opposing the Y.M.C.A. at Oak Bay Park and J.B.A.A. playing the Canadian Scottish at Mount Tolmie. All matches start at 3 o'clock.

Well-Known Rugger to Leave City



BOB TYE

One of the leading oval ball players in the city, who will leave tomorrow for the West Kootenays to take up a position with the Kootenay Power and Light Company. Tye will be greatly missed here both on "rep" fifteens and on the championship Scottish squad of which he was a member.

QUEENS' ICEMEN WIN SENIOR "B" SERIES

TORONTO, Feb. 14.—Queens University won the championship of group No. 1 in the senior "B" series of the Ontario Hockey Association, Saturday, by defeating Oshawa, four goals to one, in the second of home and home games for the title. Queens took the round by eight to four and will now meet the winner of the series between Hamilton and Woodstock.

Hamilton Tigers won the honors in group No. 2 by defeating Port Colborne at Hamilton, one to nothing. They took the round two to one.

Local Badminton Players to Visit Seattle Sunday

INTERNATIONAL sport relations between Canada and the United States will be furthered on Sunday, when twelve members of the Garrison Badminton Club will oppose the Seattle Badminton Club in the Sound city. The locals will take over a strong team in hopes of defeating the Americans on their home courts. It is possible that a return match will be played at the Armories at a later date.

BADMINTON TEAMS SET FAST PACE

Second and Third Division Squads Running Neck and Neck in Race for Championships

WILLOWS, BAPTISTS IN TOP POSITIONS

With one championship already decided, the various squads in the second and third divisions of the Lower Island Badminton League are starting down the home stretch with some crucial games in front of them before the champions for the year will be named.

Duncan's band of clever exponents walked off with the first division honors by winning nine out of ten matches. Garrison was the only club in the loop that managed to take the Up-Islanders for a ride.

Skipper Gordon and his Willows players hold a one-point lead over Duncan in the race for the Second Division title. As the Garrison Club is out of the competition the race remains between Duncan and the Willows.

An interesting situation occurs in the Third Division as Emmanuel Baptist, present leaders, have a two-point lead over North Saanich, who have played one game less than the Churchmen. Garrison, who are resting comfortably in third position, will meet North Saanich tomorrow night on the suburbanites' courts, and if the local club comes through, it will make things more interesting still.

The standings as released yesterday by Hugo Rayment, president of the league, follow:

DIVISION I

	P.	W.	L.	D.	P.
Duncan	10	9	1	0	18
Garrison	10	6	4	0	12
S. Cowichan	8	2	6	0	4
Willows	10	2	8	0	4

DIVISION II

	P.	W.	L.	D.	P.
Willows	6	4	1	1	9
Duncan	6	4	2	0	8
Garrison	6	0	5	1	1

DIVISION III

	P.	W.	L.	D.	P.
Emanuel Baptist	16	13	2	1	27
North Saanich	15	12	2	1	25
Garrison	15	12	3	0	24
Fairfield	16	9	5	2	20
Willows	16	7	7	2	16
LangfordLeghorns	15	7	8	0	14
Y.M.C.A.	15	6	9	0	12
Christ Church	15	3	8	4	10
Saanichton	16	4	11	1	9
J.B.A.A.	15	3	11	1	7
Graham Paige	16	3	13	0	6

Forward Pass Eliminated By Canadian Rugby Body

New Rule Adopted Last Year Eliminated—Move Comes as Big Surprise—Western Unions May Decide to Continue to Use Pass

(Canadian Press)

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 24.—Following a thorough study of the play as it affects the Canadian game, the rules commission of the Canadian Rugby Union, announced at the annual meeting of the Canadian Rugby Union here Saturday, the forward pass had been ousted entirely from Canadian football.

The decision came like a bolt from the blue. Friday the commission held its annual meeting, but no mention was made of the play.

Practically all members of the rules commission were present when S. C. Holland, Montreal, honorary president, acting in the absence of President Dr. R. W. Bow, Edmonton, called the meeting to order. Mr. Holland, who is chairman of the rules commission, in his report to the Canadian Rugby Union, said it had been decided to eliminate the forward pass and revert to the rules as they were prior to last year, with minor changes being made.

IMPORTANT CHANGE

The chairman said the members of the commission had felt it was the most important decision they ever had to make, realizing they might be criticized and were ready to take such criticism. They had studied the play throughout last season and decided it was simply a case now of putting it into the rules for good or leaving it out for good.

When queried last night regarding reports that unions in Western Canada may use the forward pass next Fall, regardless of the Canadian Rugby Union's decision, Mr. Holland said that any individual union desiring to use the pass could do so upon request to the commission and permission being secured.

Harold Bailey, secretary of the Canadian Rugby Football Union, said last night that body would make no decision regarding the Canadian Rugby Union ruling until their meeting in March.

B.C. ASKS AFFILIATION

A letter was read from British Columbia Union asking for information concerning affiliation with the parent body, but as no official application was received, the matter was tabled pending further news from the West.

The report of the treasurer, R. W. Hewitson, Toronto, showed a balance on hand of $1,927.

At the election of officers, John de Gruchy, of Toronto, was chosen president, and Dr. R. M. Bow, Edmonton, honorary president. Professor W. P. Wilgar, Kingston, was one of the vice-presidents elected as was T. Hicks Miller, Montreal. R. W. Hewitson, Toronto, was re-elected secretary.

The rules commission comprises the following: John de Gruchy, Toronto, chairman; Laddie Cassels, Toronto; Dave McCan, Ottawa; Stuart Forbes, Montreal; R. P. Isbister, Hamilton, and Reg. Degrucy, Toronto.

An application from the Western Canadian Intercollegiate Union was accepted by the executive, making six affiliated bodies now comprising the Canadian Rugby Union.

Primo Carnera Scores Another 2nd Round K.O.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 24—Primo Carnera, gigantic Italian, pushed Farmer Lodge, ponderous Minnesotan, about the ring like a child, and then knocked him out in the second round of their fight here tonight.

Carnera knocked Lodge down for a short count in the first round, and in the second floored him for a count of seven. After his second collapse, Lodge was hardly on his feet before he hit the mat again for the third time and the limit. The Italian entered the ring at 275 and his opponent at 235.

Vancouver Puckmen Whitewash Seattle Esks by 3-0 Score

Last Year's Champions Creep to Within Two Points of League-Leading Bucks by Victory—Winners Net One Goal in Each Session

VANCOUVER, Feb. 24.—The Vancouver Lions increased their second-place margin over the third-place Seattle Eskimos here tonight by scoring a 3 to 0 victory over the visitors in a Pacific Coast Hockey League game. The Lions are now only two points behind the leading Portland team and five ahead of the Esks.

The Lions had a decided edge on the Sound city crew during tonight's game and, with the exception of odd moments when the Esks spurted and carried the play to the Vancouver net, Winkler, the Seattle goalie, was a busy man.

The winners scored one goal in each period, with Doug. Brennan, husky defence man, leading his teammates with two counters. Jack Beattie obtained the other counter. Brennan's first goal came when the initial period was less than eight minutes old. He broke away, following a dangerous Seattle thrust, sped down the right side and fired a fast one past Winkler as he swerved past the opposing defence.

A PRETTY GOAL

Beattie's counter came in the second period and was the result of one of the prettiest plays of the night. He obtained the puck near centre, quickly reversed, wormed his way past the defence and slipped the disc past Winkler from three feet out. It was a well-earned goal.

Brennan's second goal came late in the third period, when he grabbed a loose puck in front of Winkler during a melee at the Seattle goalmouth and fired it into the net.

Seattle had many scoring chances during the game but failed to take full advantage of their opportunities. Once during the second period two Vancouver players were penalized within seconds of one another, but try as they did the Esks could not get by Jackson in the Vancouver net. Overanxiety at that stage of the game also hurt their scoring chances. The Esks, however, have shown better games here.

The Lineups

Vancouver.		Seattle.
Jackson	Goal	Winkler
J. Jerwa	Defence	Benson
Brennan	Defence	Daly
Sanderson	Wing	Anderson
Beattie	Centre	Browne
McAdam	Wing	Walker

Vancouver subs—F. Jerwa, Cunnings, Dunn and Arnott.

Seattle subs—Savage, Sutherland, Townsend, Harris and Reinikka.

Referee—Mickey Ion.

Summary

First Period—1, Vancouver, Brennan, 7:18. Penalties: Sutherland, Beattie, Harris, Brennan, Benson, Daly.

Second Period—2, Vancouver, Beattie, 5:03. Penalties: Benson, Dunn, J. Jerwa, Arnott, McAdam.

Third Period—3, Vancouver, Brennan, 17:49. Penalties: Arnott, Anderson.

BRUINS DEFEAT RANGERS AGAIN

Fast-Stepping Boston Outfit Keeps Remarkable Record Against New York Squad Intact

THROWN STICK GIVES DETROIT VICTORY

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The Boston Bruins put on another of their great finish rushes yesterday evening to take one more National Hockey League battle from the New York Rangers by a 3-2 score. The Rangers still are seeking their first victory over the Bruins since 1928.

After scrapping furiously through two periods and falling behind in the third, the Bruins scored twice in the last half of the final frame, netting the winning goal with only a minute and ten seconds to go.

The lineups:

Rangers—Roach, Bourgeault, Taylor, Boucher, W. Cook and F. Cook.

Boston — C. Thompson, Shore, Hitchman, Barry, Oliver and Galbraith.

Ranger subs—Regan, P. Thompson, Murdoch, Keeling, Vail, Goldsworty, Queenville and Reise.

Boston subs—Owen, Clapper, Weiland, Gainor, Carson, McKay and McNeil.

Referees—Corbeau and Mallinson.

Summary

First period—1, Boston, Shore (Clapper), 5.03; 2, Rangers, Boucher (F. Cook), 5.57.

Second period—No score.

Third period—3, Rangers, Keeling (Murdoch), 8.07; 4, Boston, Barry, 4.29; 5, Boston, Owen (Clapper), 6.14.

COUGARS DROP FOURTH

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 24.—A goal awarded because of a thrown stick, a fist fight between Harvey Rockburn and Frank Ingram, along with other things not strictly hockey, were accomplished yesterday evening as Detroit gave Chicago its fourth straight National League defeat, 2-1.

With the score tied late in the final period, Rockburn, Cougar defence man, manoeuvred into shooting position and was awarded the winning goal when Graham, of the Hawks, tossed his stick.

The lineups:

Detroit—Beveridge, Noble, Rockburn, Goodfellow, McCabe and Cooper.

Chicago — Graham, Graham, Wentworth, Somers, Arbour and Counture.

Detriot subs—Hay, Aurie, Lewis, Matte, Hughes and Herberts.

Chicago subs—Abel, Dutkowski, Ripley, March, Miller, Cook, Ingram, Adams and Bostrom.

Officials—Leghorn and Goodman.

Summary

First period—No score

Second period—1, Detroit, Goodfellow, 15.25.

Third period—2, Chicago, Arbour (Somers), 9.35; 3, Detroit, Rockburn, 5.25.

West Indies in Strong Position In Cricket Test

(Canadian Press Cable)

GEORGETOWN, British Guiana, Feb. 24.—The West Indies, at the end of the second day's play in the third cricket test match with England had placed themselves in a very strong position. Continuing their first innings, left at 336 runs for two wickets, Saturday, they raised their total to 471 before the entire side was dismissed. England had lost seven wickets for only 120 runs when stumps were drawn for the day. Headley contributed 114 to the West Indies total.

Magnolia to Cover Miami Beach Show From Ref's Angle

LOU Magnolia, third man in the ring during the Sharkey-Scott bout this Thursday night at Miami, will write his story of the fight for The Colonist and the North American Newspaper Alliance. Magnolia will describe the contest as a referee sees it.

Sharkey Not Taking Phil Scott Lightly Trumbull Declares

Noted Scribe Says British Heavyweight Not a Dub—Boston Gob in Pink of Shape for Next Thursday's Bout at Miami Beach

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 24.—"I feel great," said Jack Sharkey, as he stripped in his dressing-room at the dog track at Miami Beach, preparatory to climbing into fighting togs and going thrpugh his daily workout. He looked great.

The most noticeable thing concerning Sharkey, if you have not seen him for a while, is the manner in which his shoulders have developed and take on added power. That is where his increase in hitting ability comes from.

Yes, judging by appearances, Sharkey is in good shape for this bout. His muscles ripple smoothly under a clear skin, his reflexes are fine, his eyes are bright and altogether he looks like an athlete close to top form. His weight is 198, two pounds heavier than when he met Tommy Loughran, and he surely was in beautiful condition in that fight. Sharkey has the confidence and the manner of a champion.

"They tell me Scott is in great condition," I said.

"They are all in great condition when I fight them," replied Sharkey.

"Tell him what Johnston says," put in Johnny Buckley, Jack's manager. "He says Scott will stop you in three rounds. That he'll knock you stiff."

"Yeah," said Sharkey, with a sudden flash of those peculiar grey green eyes of his. Then he smiled, but still a bit grimly.

Jack doesn't take all Johnny says as gospel. He knows that Buckley likes to keep him stirred up mentally when he is training.

In his boxing with Pierre Charles, Moise Bouquillon and Johnny Grosso, Sharkey did a lot of blocking and stepping around, but only cut loose in short spurts. He tried out a left jab and hook, but apparently wasn't trying to land solid rights, although he swished a couple within a scant inch of the jaws of his opponents that had plenty of steam behind them.

NOT UNDERRATING SCOTT

Jack did not seem to be as vicious today as I saw him in his training for Loughran, but the sun was bright and the air balmy and warm and in such surroundings it is hard to feel vicious. I have an idea that he will be considerably more unpleasant on Thursday night. I don't think Jack underestimates Scott. A man of the Briton's experience and record must have something.

"No man is ever a dub until you beat him," says Sharkey. And that is a pretty sound theory. The proof of the fighter is the fight.

From Sharkey's training quarters I went across the bridge to Miami and watched Scott work. He boxes in the American Legion Arena, a small enclosure which will seat possibly 1,500 spectators. The Englishman has quite a stable of sparring partners, and they are fully as good as the average you find around training camps.

Sharkey boxed five rounds, but Scott worked eight, with such opponents as Jack Renault, Jack de Mave, Charlie Hahn, the New York middleweight who only boxes minute rounds but who tears in all the way; Bill Middlekauff, the University of Florida heavyweight, and Johnny Slavin. Then Philip punched the bag two rounds and shadow boxed two more, so he really did the equivalent of twelve rounds of work. The remarkable thing about it was that he wasn't even breathing hard at the finish.

SCOTT HAS FINE LEFT

Scott is not aggressive enough to excite the crowd, but he has a really fine left hand and can tie an opponent up with a skill of a boa constrictor. You will notice, if you watch closely, that none of his opponents hit Scott much. He takes many a punch on the glove or the shoulders. If he had a little better right hand, Scott might be a most distinguished heavyweight fighter.

For some reason, Scott's face has lost a lot of the scared rabbit expression, and he looks more resolute. He is big, strong and a good boxer, but there is a certain awkwardness about him which leads onlookers to underrate him.

I think that Jimmy Johnston is perfectly sincere in his belief that Scott has a great chance and that, if the fight goes over half a dozen rounds the Englishman will win.

The Briton is not a dub; he is a pretty good heavyweight, but it looks to the innocent bystander as if the Boston gob has too much class for him. Time will tell, but if Scott beats Sharkey he will have beaten the best heavyweight now fighting on this side of the water.

TUNNEY TO WATCH MIX

Gene Tunney will arrive at Miami Beach tomorrow to visit his old friend, John Oliver Lagorce, with whom Bernard Gimbel is also staying. George Getz, big game hunter, sportsman, and now one of the boxing commissioners in Illinois, left this afternoon for the Pacific Coast, where he expects to see Jack Dempsey on March 8.

Mr. Getz denies that he has any intention of trying to persuade the Manassa Mauler to return to the ring, but admits that he hopes to get a big heavyweight fight for Chicago this Autumn—perhaps Campolo and Carnera. Campolo, by the way, has made a big impression in his training at Coral Gables. They tell me that he has improved immeasurably and that he is hitting harder with his right hand than any man now in the game. His trainers have spent much time developing Campolo's left.

Pierre Charles is another boxer who has undoubtedly improved and may give Tommy Loughran a very busy evening. Risko is reported to be in good shape.

One man who realy will hate to miss these bouts is William F. Carey, but in order to catch a steamer for South America, where he is building a railroad, the president of Madison Square Garden must leave here tomorrow.

Frank Bruen was considerably cheered today by a telegram telling him of the number of special trains which have been ordered for the fight. The box office sale has picked up in the past week and Bruen believes that the affair will be a financial as well as a social success.

With the number of tickets sold in Palm Beach, the social success is already assured.

Scene of Sharkey-Scott Go



THE arena at Miami, Fla., where Scott and Sharkey will fight it out. It is an immense structure and, according to advance dope, the promoters are going to have more than a little trouble in filling it for the occasion.

Only $85,000 Worth of Tickets Sold For Sharkey-Scott Mix

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 24.—Today's developments on the battlefront included reports of some stimulation in box office sales and the statement of William F. Carey, Madison Square president, before leaving tonight for New York, that Miami will continue to witness midwinter heavyweight festivals for at least three more years.

It is understood anything over $225,000 in total sales will mean a profit. Cash on hand at the close of the box office tonight was around $85,000. The attitude now is that if the receipts pass $250,000 three rousing cheers will be given by all connected with the financial operation. On this basis Sharkey's end would be around $60,000 and Scott's $50,000. Phil doesn't share equally with Jack until after the $200,000 mark is passed. Last year Sharkey received a flat $100,000 and Stribling something like $65,000.

KEIST IN LINE FOR TOUGH MIX

Local Mitt Slinger to Meet Manila Champion in Semi-Windup of Saturday's Show

Tim Keist, popular figure in local pugilistic circles, who will make his return to the squared circle Saturday night in the semi-windup of the Fielding-Herman mix at the Tillicum gymnasium, is in line for a tough fight. Keist has been matched with Clarence Corpuz, Manila champion, who now resides in Seattle, in a scheduled six-round bout. The Sound city battler has a k.o. over Don Barlcay to his credit, and those who have seen him in action can readily see that Keist has been given a tough assignment.

Wing Hay, who in his last start stopped Harry Herd in the fourth round of a scheduled ten-round battle, has been matched with Jimmy Henry, flashy Seattle boy. Hay is favored to gain the nod in this mix.

Danny Pastroe, the local "rubber man," will open the card in a four-round battle with Dave Manning, who also hails from the Sound city.

HUDSON'S BAY TO BATTLE SAILORS

Undefeated Leaders of Midweek Soccer Facing Tough Match Tomorrow

Navy, undefeated leaders of the Wednesday Football League, will face their toughest rivals tomorrow, when they oppose the Hudson's Bay at Beacon Hill in the feature game. The other match will see Batchelor's Food Stores meeting Saanich United at the Royal Athletic Park. Both games will start at 2:45 o'clock. Hewison will officiate at Beacon Hill and "Scotty" McKay at the Royal Athletic Park.

BOWLING



Colonist Want Ad representatives in the Commercial Bowling League did the unexpected on the Arcade Alleys last night by taking the odd game from the Restorer five. The cable ship trundlers won the first game with plenty to spare, but when the pins were totaled up in the second and third games they were on the short end. R. Wilson, of the Restorer, despite the defeat of his teammates, led the pin spillers in both departments of the game with scores of 223 and 557. The scores:

Restorer

R. Fredette	128	128	112—	368
G. Rawlinson	136	118	114—	368
W. McBay	150	113	110—	373
S. Pearce	168	191	126—	485
R. Wilson	174	160	223—	557
Totals	756	710	685—	2151

Colonist Want Ads

W. Richardson	122	153	120—	395
J. Rowe	136	211	151—	498
W. Mitchell	146	133	160—	439
W. R. Mitchell	131	153	211—	495
I. Grieve	128	113	110—	351
Totals	663	763	752—	2178

TIMES TAKE TWO

Rolling three men apiece, the Times fivepin bowlers took two games from the Jokers of the Arcade Alleys last night. The defeat about ruins any hopes that the Jokers may have entertained of winning the second half championship of the Fivepin League. W. Metcalf, of the winners, set a fast pace by gaining an aggregate score of 701, while Fred Young, of the Jokers, took individual honors with 269 pins in his first game. The scores:

Times

J. Leetham	180	186	205—	571
W. Metcalf	256	221	224—	701
S. Jenkins	205	249	160—	614
Totals	641	656	589—	1886

Jokers

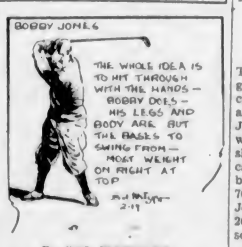
A. Harness	175	180	235—	579
L. Colton	140	201	221—	562
F. Young	269	184	166—	619
Totals	584	554	622—	1760

CANADIAN BOWLERS LOSE TO VICTORIA

(Canadian Press Cable via Reuter's)

MELBOURNE, Australia, Feb. 24.—Victoria lawn bowlers defeated the touring Canadian team today, 129 to 77.

Jones' Swing Is Perfect in Balance



By SOL METZGER

Note the well-braced right leg of Bobby Jones at the top of his swing, the straight left arm, the half turned shoulders and the quarter turned hips. His left leg is bent in and carries but little of his weight. Jones is orthodox in every particular of his swing.

His hands control the club and will do the hitting through from this point, the straight left arm acting as the guide as the club is swung down. Jones arrives at this position in a perfectly natural way. As the left hand pulls the club back the left side is pulled round. Hence the right leg is braced to insure balance. The right hip is also locked. Thus the left side is pulled around while the right leg and hip brace and balance him. No swaying of body.

Concentrate on letting the hands control the swing and the right leg and hip brace to maintain balance for your body. That's the secret of sound golf. Let us take a look at the hands doing the hitting in the next releas

FIFTEEN TEAMS TO RACE IN SIX-DAY EVENT AT GARDEN

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Franco Georgetti, of Italy, the world's leading six-day bicycle rider, and Jimmy Walthour, nineteen-year-old New York youth, head a list of fifteen teams announced today as competitors in New York's forty-eighth international grind at Madison Square Garden starting Sunday night.

My Greatest Golfing Weakness and How I Corrected It

By CHICK EVANS
Former National Amateur and Open Champion

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This is the eighteenth of a series of articles written by famous amateur and professional golfers, telling how they overcame outstanding faults in their play.

Golfers — that is, competitive golfers—become noted for certain strong points. In the perfectly rounded game of Bobby Jones his work around the greens is outstanding. Hagen is famous for recovery shots. I have received a lot of praise for my work with the irons.

I suppose it is natural for a man to take his best shots somewhat for granted, but even the masters find flaws cropping up when least expected.

While I have usually been very straight with both iron and wood I found some time ago I wasn't always getting the distance I shouid. Though accuracy rates first in golf, the long hitter has a decided advantage. He faces less of a problem on his next shot if he can use a mashie instead of a Number Two, or a Number Two instead of a spoon.

I found that I was failing to get my hands high enough on the back stroke in full shots. It sounds like a small matter. But good golf is the sum of many small matters. It is so very easy to get into a bad habit and so hard to get out of it.

This fault of mine was not as hurtful as a lot of other apparently minor ones. It didn't affect my timing, most important of all things in the game—but it did cut down my yardage, and I wanted more of that.

I set about correcting it. It seemed to me the solution lay in pivoting more. So on my full shots I pivoted until I felt a distinct pull at my left shoulder socket. When I felt that I know my arms were high enough. Height is needed, for the greater the arc of the swing the greater power in it.

It sounds easy to say, of course, that I corected this fault by pivoting more. The thing wasn't quite as soft as that. It meant many hours of practice until I could accomplish it without consciously thinking of what I should do. That, after all, is the secret of good golf, the ability to do the right thing without thinking of it. In sport, the subconscious mind should be so disciplined by consistent practice that it will consistently order the muscle to do the right thing.

Other writers in this series have stressed the value of practice. I want to do it again. No one ever became a good golfer without long and tiresome hours on the practice tee. You have to work everlastingly at this game. Perhaps that is what makes it so fascinating.

It might not be amiss to say in my own case that I had to watch against a tendency to overswing while I was seeking to correct the habit of failing to get my hands high enough on the back stroke. Overswinging is bound to rob a player of accuracy—which, if the choice has to be made, is more desirable than distance.

Next: Al Espinosa.

DUNCAN CAGE TEAMS TO BE HERE TONIGHT

Trio of Quintettes From Up-Island City Will Appear at High School Gymnasium

LOCALS TO FIELD FORMIDABLE SQUADS

With the Lower Island basketball championships at stake, three cage teams from Duncan will appear in action tonight at the Victoria High School gymnasium against a like number of local quintettes. The games are the last of a home-and-home series, with total points counting.

Two of the Up-Island squads hold leads over the locals, while the third Duncan team is trailing by one point. Duncan's senior "B" aggregation will step on the floor against Y.M.C.A. with an eleven-point advantage while the Shell Oil juniors from the same city are two baskets to the good over the Royals.

Bill Erickson's Red Birds, women's city champions, will be out in full strength with high hopes of adding more laurels to their colors against the visiting fair sex team. In the Up-Island city Saturday the Red Birds squeezed through to a 22-21 victory and have a one-point advantage to start the game with.

THE FEATURE GAME

The feature game on the programme will be between Duncan and the "Y" lads. The Up-Islanders won on their home floor 33-21, but the local cagers hope to wipe out this deficit and sweep through to the title at the High gym.

Basketball fans will watch with great interest the showing of the junior boys. This is the first year that the Island body has included the junior championship on its list. On the Duncan floor the youngsters kept the fans on their toes throughout and hope to do so in their appearance here.

The winners of the senior "B" fixture will meet Ladysmith and the victors in the women's attraction will clash with Nanaimo.

The first game will start at 7:30 o'clock, the second at 8:15 o'clock and the final one about an hour later. Selection of the referees has not been named, but Alan Le Marquard, Tommy Forbes and Bob Whyte are the three to be chosen from.

N.H.L. STANDINGS

TORONTO, Feb. 24.—The standing of N.H.L. teams, including last night's games, follow:

Canadian Group

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pt.
Maroons	20	12	5	128	94	45
Canadiens	17	1	7	109	89	41
Ottawa	16	13	7	100	94	39
Toronto	14	17	4	99	102	32
Americans	10	2	4	89	134	24

American Group

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pt.
Boston	32	4	1	145	85	65
Rangers	18	16	5	119	114	37
Chicago	16	16	2	93	93	35
Detroit	13	20	4	103	115	30
Pittsburgh	5	29	2	88	154	12

DRAW FOR FIFTH ROUND OF RUGBY LEAGUE CUP MADE

(Canadian Press Cable)

LONDON, Feb. 24.—The draw for the third round of the Rugby League Cup to be played on March 8, was made today, and announced as follows:

Wigan vs. Warrington.
Swinton or Widnes vs. Hull.
Barrow vs. Wigan Highfield or Dewsbury.
St. Helen's vs. Hunslet.

FOOTBALL MEETING

A special meeting of the Victoria City Junior Football Club will be held at 838 Fisgard Street tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. All players are asked to attend.

VETERANS CAPTURE BILLIARD HONORS

Defeat Army and Navy Squad to Win Bloom Cup, Emblematic of "B" Section Title

The Bloom Cup, symbolic of the "B" section title of the Interservice Billiard League, will rest in the Veterans of France clubrooms for the ensuing twelve months as a result of their splendid victory last night over the Army and Navy No. 1 squad on their home table, 594-586.

The match was a nip-and-tuck battle from the first stroke to the last. At the conclusion of the first game the Army and Navy held a six-point lead when Norton defeated Stevens, 150-144. Hodge, of the Vets, then took the table and finished ten points to the good to give his team a four-point advantage.

Tommy Southern breezed through by a 150-148 score over C. Butler, of the losers, to add two more points to the margin of victory.

With the Vets leading by six points the two anchor players, Dunlop, of the winners, and Tommy Mayne, of the Army and Navy, took the table in what proved to be the most exciting match of the night. Both players handled their cues with uncanny skill, but the break of the game came when Dunlop got the balls in fine position to run off forty-eight, the highest break of the match. Dunlop, assisted by the big run, managed to win by two points, 150-148. The scores follow:

Veterans of France		Army and Navy No. 1	
R. Stevens	144	P. Norton	150
T. Hodge	150	G. Gardiner	149
T. Southern	150	C. Butler	148
T. Dunlop	150	T. Mayne	148
Total	594	Total	586

Stetson to Sub for Dummy Mahan Friday

(Associated Press)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 24.—Frankie Stetson, San Francisco junior welterweight, was assigned today to meet Jimmy Roodrich, of New York, in the ten-round main event at Dreamland Auditorium Friday night. Stetson was substituted for Fred "Dummy" Mahan, who was killed in a parachute jump here yesterday.

Old Country Soccer

(Canadian Press Cable)

LONDON, Feb. 24. — Doncaster Rovers and Accrington played a drawn soccer match, three goals all, today. Rotherham United defeated Wigan by four goals to one. The clubs are members of the northern section of the third division of the English League.

Old Country Rugby

(Canadian Press Cable)

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Rugby Union games played on Saturday and reported today resulted as follows:

Swansea 57, Skewen 0.
Nuneaton 26, Westminster Bank 0.
Pontypridd 16, Aberavon 0.
Ebbw Vale 0, Blaenavon 0.
Mountain Ash 5, Kenfighili 0.
Clifton 18, Bristol University 3.
Exmouth 5, Exeter 3.

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AMUSEMENTS

On the Stage

Royal—The Gordon McLeod Players offer "The Rotters."

Variety—The Toby Leitch Players present "Gerry."

On the Screen

Capitol—Evelyn Brent and Clive Brook in "Slightly Scarlet."

Columbia—"Lady of the Pavements," starring Jetta Goudal.

Dominion—Kay Johnson in "Dynamite."

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COLUMBIA THEATRE

D. W. Griffith has chosen the romance of low and the high born as the theme for his latest picture "Lady of the Pavements," which is now showing at the Columbia theatre. The principal players in the production are William Boyd, Jetta Goddal, Lupe Velez, George Fawcett, Albert Conti and William Bakewell. Karl Voimoeller, author of "The Miracle," Max Heinhard's internationally known stage play, wrote the story especially for the screen. Sam Taylor, director of Harold Lloyd's biggest pictures, wrote the continuity.

VARIETY THEATRE

Combining a riot of laughs with gripping drama, the popular Toby Leitch players' three-act comedy-drama hit, "Gerry," was a brilliant success at the Variety Theatre last night. Rollon Parker was splendid as Gerry, the youth who recovers from a bout of intensive drinking to find himself elected mayor of the city of Lisbon. Under the influence of his love for Molly Bayne (a role exceedingly well played by the clever Leone Weber), Gerry renounces his love of liquor, turns his joke-election into a grim reality for underworld characters and starts to rid the city of its criminal element. "Gerry" was given an enthusiastic reception by last night's audience. It is a splendid play, extremely well presented by an all-star cast.

GALAXY OF STARS SHINE AT PLAYHOUSE

"Broadway Scandals" Is Musical Comedy Extravaganza at Yates Street House

"Broadway Scandals," a musical comedy extravaganza produced by Columbia Pictures Corporation, dazzled the audience at the Playhouse Theatre where it opened last night. It is sparkling with entertainment done in Broadway's best style. A galaxy of stars including the versatile Jack Egan, the vivacious Sally O'Neil and the striking Carmel Myers, who play the leading roles, disport themselves with glory. Infectious song hits, comedy, gorgeous costumes and wonderful dancing make this picture a joy to the ear and the eye. The love romance behind this carnival of dance and song will grip with its beauty and tenderness.

The cast is excellent. Jack Egan who plays the title role, is youthful, handsome and engaging. Egan, who served his apprenticeship in the theatrical game by playing eight years in vaudeville, makes a typical Broadway song and dance man.

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COSTUMING IS STRONG FEATURE

"Dynamite" has Attraction at Dominion of Exceptional Kind

"The greatest De Mille picture since 'Manslaughter,'" is the verdict of critics on "Dynamite," Cecil B. De Mille's first talking picture, which is now at the Dominion Theatre.

"Dynamite," decked with beautiful gowns, pretty girls, thrills, a glass bathtub and a spectacular mine explosion, returns the producer to the highly-colored type of story with which he made his earliest triumphs. The film, by Jeanie MacPherson, is said to have the same irresistible type of eye and sensory appeal which predominated in "Male and Female," "Manslaughter" and "Why Change Your Wife?"

"Your work bears the closest inspection," remarked the girl with the dimple. "What infinite pains you must take with it!"

"Perhaps," replied the artist; "but, do you know, I enjoy the pains."

"Then, she rejoined, with a bright smile, "you, too, pursue art for art's ache."

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

THE TREATMENT OF INFANTILE PARALYSIS

At least half of all the crippled children would be well today if it were not for infantile paralysis. Of all the diseases which menace children, this is probably the most dreaded by parents, as the child may be maimed or crippled for life. With this disease, as with many others, prevention is much easier than cure.

The trouble most often occurs with young children, although occasionally with adults, and is due to an inflammation of the spinal cord. It usually comes on quite suddenly, with fever and the tendency to muscular paralysis, often ending in contraction and permanent deformity.

There are a few cases where no symptom of paralysis develops, and in some cases a temporary paralysis does occur during the height of the inflammation, but in many cases there is a complete return to normal and a recovery of the use of the muscles. Even where paralysis does definitely occur and seems to be a permanent condition, there have been many remarkable cures and a complete recovery through persistent and gradual retraining of the muscles through the right kind of massage and exercise.

It seems as though even when certain nerve centres in the spinal cord have been destroyed, it is possible for other nerve centres to be trained to take over the functions of the destroyed centres. This cannot be quickly done, however, and requires much patience and perseverance, but will prove effective even in many apparently hopeless cases.

Probably no other disease has yielded so conspicuously to the newer methods of healing as that of infantile paralysis. The use of a good fasting regime, combined with massage, hydrotherapy, either chiropractic or osteopathic treatments, very persistent, passive exercise, later followed by active exercises on the part of the patient, and sometimes galvanic and sinusoidal electrical treatments, has been responsible for curing many cases of infantile paralysis which would formerly have been given up as hopeless.

It is my belief that a child would never contract this disease if it was not previously weakened by wrong habits of eating, faulty hygiene, etc., which produce a chronic toxidity in the child and prepare the soil for the inflammatory process in the spinal cord. As the child is day after day fed with improper combinations and acid-forming foods his body is literally poisoned with toxic substances, and when the paralysis develops, it is only a more serious form of the disease than if the poison had located in the tonsils, bronchial tubes, or in some other portion of the body.

At the first indication of the disease, an orange fast should be used. Sometimes a remarkable change for the better is noticed from this one measure alone. The patient should also be encouraged to drink plenty of water and should be given one or two enemas daily. Cold packs over the spine and abdomen are also helpful, not ice packs, just towels wrung out of cold water and covered with some dry flannel.

The first applications to the limbs should be of heat, massage and passive movement. This produces a better circulation of the muscles and helps to stimulate the draining action of the veins and lymphatics. The limbs should be protected against cold at all times.

Correspondents wishing to communicate with Dr. McCoy should address letters: Dr. Frank McCoy, c/o McCoy Publications, Inc., 680 South Ardmore Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

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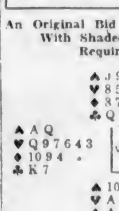
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An Original Bid by Second Hand With Shaded High Card Requirements





♠ J 9 7 4 3
♥ 8 5
♦ 8 7 6
♣ Q 10 2

♠ A Q
♥ Q 9 7 6 4 3
♦ 10 9 4
♣ K 7

♠ K 6 5
♥ K J
♦ Q J 5 2
♣ A J 8 6

♠ 10 8 2
♥ A 10 2
♦ A K 3
♣ 9 5 4 3

Auction Bidding

	1st Rd.	2nd Rd.	3rd Rd.
South	Pass	Pass	Pass
West	1 ♥	2 ♥	
North	Pass	Pass	
East	1 N. T.	Pass	

Contract Bidding

	1st Rd.	2nd Rd.	3rd Rd.
South	Pass	Pass	Pass
West	1 ♥	3 ♥	Pass
North	Pass	Pass	Pass
East	2 N. T.	4 ♥	

The above deal is noteworthy for more than one reason. First of all, South's pass despite holding three quick tricks because holding no sound original bid either of a suit or of No Trump. Soundly to bid one No Trump originally, with two unprotected suits, requires at least four quick tricks in two suits, both of which are of three or less cards. Second, South passing, West should, as second hand, bid one Heart. However doubtful such original bid may be if held by dealer, it is no longer doubtful if held by second hand, following a pass by dealer. Third, if West passes, deeming his side values insufficient to justify an original bid of a high Heart suit, North will also pass, putting the question up to East whether to open the bidding or pass the deal out. If East can rely upon West not passing even a doubtful original bid, East should pass the deal out, as his values are insufficiently sound to warrant an original bid by fourth hand. Thus, West's holding is a good illustration of an original bid by second hand, with shaded requirements.

SALIENT POINTS OF THE BIDDING

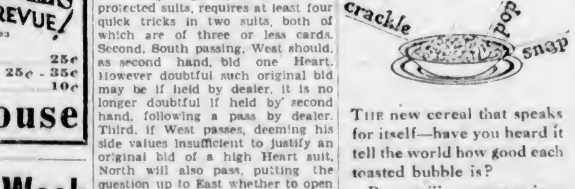
Auction: South passing, West bids one Heart. North passing, East, with but two Hearts, takes out with one No Trump. South passing, West is in doubt whether to leave the No Trump in or to rebid his Hearts. Selecting the latter procedure, West bids two Hearts, concluding the bidding tract starts the same as in Auction except that East, with values in all four suits, takes out with two No Trumps. South passing, West bids three Hearts to show at least rebid length in such suit. North passing, East bids four Hearts.

THE PLAY

North opens the four of Spades. The Dummy going down, West sees that with this opening he should normally lose but three tricks—the Ace and King of Diamonds and the Ace of Hearts. He, therefore, wins the first trick with the Queen of Spades in own hand and leads a small Heart to Dummy's King. South wins with the Ace and lays down the Ace and King of Diamonds, fearing that he may lose these tricks should he not take them in out of the wet as quickly as possible. There is nothing to the play of the hand as, from this point on, West makes the remaining tricks.

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Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1250m; 239k)—7:30 a.m., Morning market trends. 6 p.m., Cloaina market quotations. 6-15, The Sunset Trio offers: "La Burlesque Overture" (von Suppe); a concert waltz, "The Gehins" (Poor); "Trio" from a Sonata by Beethoven; "Andante Religioso" (Thome), a collection of favorites from "H.M.S. Pinafore" (Sullivan); a suite "In Arcady" (Nevin). 7-15, "What's Doing in Town"; Garden Bulletin; the official weather report and forecast; Bert Zals at the piano; the West Coast Information Service, time signal. 11, The Crystal Garden Orchestra.

CJOR, Vancouver, B.C. (291.1m)—7-8 a.m., Musical programme. 8-8.30, Opening prices on Toronto Exchange. 8.30-9.30, Red Seal hour of concert music. 9.30-9.45, Musical programme. 9.45-10.15, Women's half hour of household hints. 10.15-10.30, Opening prices on Vancouver Stock Exchange. 11.30 a.m.-12 noon, Shopping news. 3-6.15 p.m., Theatre announcements and music. 8.15-6.30, Vancouver Stock Exchange quotations. 6.30-6.45, E. A. Pierce & Co. New York stocks. 6.45-7, Toronto stocks. 7-7.30, Musical programme.

CKWX, Vancouver, B.C. (110.7m)—8-8.30 a.m., Programme for "C Sparks." 10.30-11, Morning concert of recordings. 11-11.30, Canadian Eveready Battery hour. 11.30 a.m.-12 noon, Music and announcements. 4.30-5.30 p.m., Afternoon concert of recordings. 5.30-6, Sun news bulletins; announcements; music and time signal. 6-7.15, Studio programme. 7.15-7.30, "Cecil and Sally." 7.30-8, Beatty Bros. fireside hall hour. 8-8.30, R.K.O. vaudeville programme.

CNRV (Canadian National Railways), Vancouver, B.C. (291.1m; 1,030k)—10.30 a.m., Mornina hour of music. 7 p.m., Canadian National Railways transcontinental hour. 8, Educational feature. 8.45, Safety topics. 8, Helen Ainsworth's Violin Quartette. 9.30, Richard Stanton, tenor. Catherine McEwan, mezzo-contralto, and James Todd, pianist. 10, Canadian National Ensemble and the Lyricist of CNRV.

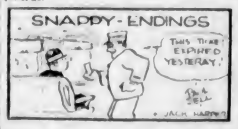
KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (275.9m; 920k)—2 p.m., Artistic Ensemble with Mary Burns. 4, N.B.C. 5, Kiddies' programme. 5.30-9, N.B.C. 9, Don Amalso, the Wizard. 9.30, N.B.C. 10, Gold Shield Little Symphony hour. 11, News flashes; Musical Musketeers. 12 midnight-12.30 a.m., Organ recital.



KGO, Oakland, Cal. (370.3m; 790k)—3-4 p.m., Musical Musketeers. 4-4.30, Voters' Service. 4.30-5.15, Hotel St. Francis Salon Orchestra. 5.15-5.30, News service. 5.30-6, Around the World with Libby. 6-6.30, Eveready hour. 6.30-7, Happy Wonder Bakers. 7-7.30, Westinghouse Salute. 7.30-8.30, R.K.O. hour. 8.30-8.45, Amos 'n' Andy. 8.45-8, John and Ned. 9-9.30, Concert Album. 9.30-10, Florsheim Shoe Co. programme. 10-11, Spotlight Review. 11 p.m.-13 midnight, Musical Musketeers.

KFI, Los Angeles (468.5m; 640k)—3.15 p.m., N.B.C. 3.30, Winnie Fields Moore, harpsichord. 3.30, Westwood Nowell, Pianocers' Club. 4.15, "Human Nature." 4.30, Big Brother. 6, Baron Keyes (Union Oil Co.). 6.45, Stock market reports. 6, N.B.C. 6.30, Better Business Bureau talk. 7, Arthur Lang and concert ensemble. 7.30, N.B.C. 8.30, Eva Olivotti and Pryor Moore Orchestra. 11, KFI News Bureau.

KNX, Los Angeles (285.5m; 1,050k)—4.30-5 p.m., Musical programme. 5.15-5.45, Kiddie hour. 6-6.30, Organ programme. 6.30-7, KNX String Ensemble. 7-7.30, Dr. Baumeardt, "Popular Science." 8-8, Tom and his mule Hercules. 9-9.30, KNX feature programme. 9.30-10, Puritan Malt court'esy programme. 10 p.m.-13 midnight, Hotel Ambassador Johnny Hamp and his Kentucky Serenaders in the Cocoanut Grove. 13 midnight-1 a.m., Dance hour of records.



KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (535.4m; 560k)—1.30-2 p.m., Fashionette. 3-3.30, Three Regalettes. 3.30-5, Dr. Forrester, "Broadway Tunes." 5-6, Brother Bob's frolic hour of Studio programme; Chapel of Chimes. 7-7.30, "Thirty Minutes of Melody with Don." 7.30-8.30, String ensemble. 8.30-10, Ice hockey game. 10-11, Rudolph's String Ensemble. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Semi-classical programme. 13 midnight-1 a.m., "Slumber Chaser."

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491.6m; 610k)—2-3 p.m., N.B.C. 3-3.30, Auction bridge by radio. 3.30-4.30, N.B.C. 4.30-5.30, Service hour and programme. 5.30-6, Around the World with Libby. 6-7, N.B.C. 7-7.30, Westinghouse Salute. 7.30-8.45, N.B.C. 8.45-9, John and Ned. 9-10, N.B.C. 10-10.10, Cecil and Sally. 10.10-11, Gold Shield concert. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Dance band.

KFRC, San Francisco (491.5m; 610k)—3-3.15 p.m., Colonial Dames beauty talks. 3.15-3.30, Rita Murray, financial hints. 3.30-3.35, Something About Everything. 3.35-4, Yoens's Orchestra. 4-4.30, Organ and singers. 4.30-5, Recordings and Town Topics. 5-5.30, Wallman and Pepper. 5.30-6, Edna Fischer, pianist. 6-7, Paul Whiteman's Old Gold Orchestra. 7-7.30, Joe and Vi. 7.30-8, Remar Twins. 8-9, Pacific States Savings programme. 8-9.30, Manion Merrick's Modern Melodists. 9.30-10, Captain Adams programme. 10-10.10, Frank Watanabe, Eddie Holden. 10.10 p.m.-12 midnight, Roof Garden Orchestra. Soloists: 12 midnight-1 a.m., Dance music.

KSL, Salt Lake City, Utah (265.5m; 1,130k)—5 p.m., Novelty instrumental and vocal programme. 5.30-8.30, N.B.C. 8.30, Studio programme. 9, Mixed quartette and instrumentalists. 9.30, N.B.C. 10, Claude Kiff's Tavern Band. 11, Midnight hour.

KOA, Denver, Col. (361.2m; 830k)—5.30-6 p.m., Around the World with Libby. 6-6.30, Eveready hour. 6.30-7, Happy Wonder Bakers. 7-7.30, Westinghouse Salute. 7.30-8.30, Radio-Keith-Orpheum hour. 8.30-8.45, Amos 'n' Andy. 8.45-9.30, General Electric hour. 9.30-10, Florsheim programme. 10-11, Spotlight Review.

KVI, Tacoma, Wash. (293.9m; 1,020k)—4-5 p.m., The Serenaders. 5-5.15, Helene Hill and Aubrey Knoff, two-piece piano recital. 5.15-5.30, Modern Melodists. 5.30-10, Capt. Adams programme. 10-10.12, Dorothy Grodvig, soprano; Willis Busby, tenor. 10.12 p.m.-12 midnight, Val Valdez Roof Garden Orchestra. 13 midnight-1 a.m., Organ recital.

KPO, San Francisco (440.9m; 680k)—3-3.15 p.m., E. A. Pierce, stock reports. 3.15-3.30, N.B.C. 3.30-3, California Crooners and Mildred Bailey, pianist. 3-4.30, The Toreadors; bridge lesson. 4.30-5, Stock market quotations. 5-5.50, Children's hour. 5.50-6, News digest; "Scotty" Mortland. 6-7, Reo Masters of Music. 7-8.30, North Americans, the Sequoians. 8.30-9, Packard programme. 9-10, Cecil and Sally, Musical Capers. 10-11, Joe Wright's Silver Slipper Dance Orchestra.

KYA, San Francisco (212.8m; 1,230k)—8-10 a.m., Recorded programme. 10-10.30, Cooking, by Balls de Graf. 10.30-11, Recordings. 11 a.m.-13 noon, California Sunshine hour. 12 noon-13.15 p.m., Newscasting. 13.15-1, Tuesday Noon Club. 1-2 Classical recordings. 3-3, Bridge par, hour. 3-5, Fashion show; recordings. 5-5.15, Ray W. Smith, Community Chest. 5.15-5.45, Virginia Spencer and Helen Stone. 5.45-7, National Kameena programme; records. 7-7.30, George Taylor and the Boys. 7.30-7.45, College Daze, Toby and Bebe. 7.45-8, Orrin, Yvonne and Helen Stone. 8-9, Calendar of the Air. 9-9.30, News; Claire Upshur and N. Campbell. 9.30-10.30, Pacific Artists' Trio. 10.30 p.m.-1 a.m., Dance recordings and requests.

Columbia Broadcasting Company—8 a.m., Radio Homemaker. 8.30, The Pet of Gold. 8.45, Mr. Plait, the Traveling Tinker. 9, Columbia Revue. 11, Romany Patterns. 11.30, American School of the Air. 12 noon, Columbia Ensemble. 12.30 p.m., Columbia Ensemble. 1.30, U.S. Army Band from Washington, D.C. 3, From Dusty Pages. 3.30, Yoens's Restaurant Orchestra. 8, Paul Whiteman's Old Gold Orchestra from Los Angeles. 7, Dr. Julius Klein. 7.30, Dinner of the Park Association of New York. Mayor James J. Walker s. Orsybar programme, Joe and Vi. 8.30, Public Radio View—Brooklyn Paramount Theatre.

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Tenders will be invited at once, and a start made with construction as soon as possible, in order that the extension may be ready for the Summer traffic.

Fishing Craft Jack Runs on Bare Point

CHEMAINUS, Feb. 24.—Japanese Ss. Shunten Maru, which has been taking on a cargo of Japanese squares and baby squares for Japan, cleared on Sunday for New Westminster. Other vessels to enter port include Canadian National No. 4, with barge No. 101; the tug R.F.M., with the Great Northern transfer in tow, and the tug Canada.

During the week-end the fishing boat Jack ran on the rocks off Bare Point, where she lay for some hours, but managed to get clear at high tide with the assistance of a Vancouver fishing boat.

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Captain Graham Leaves Admiral Benson in Sand

VANCOUVER, Feb. 24.—Freight on the wrecked Admiral Benson at Peacock Spit, consisting of citrus fruits and general, is to be "high-lined" ashore, while the attempt to refloat the ship will be made with heavy ground tackles and perhaps use of sand pumps. The ship's hull is somewhat damaged, it is said, and she is leaking slightly.

The vessel is insured at Lloyd's and at San Francisco, while the cargo is practically all insured in San Francisco.

FORT CANBY, Wash., Feb. 24.—Captain Charles Graham, who has remained aboard the Admiral Benson since she piled up on February 15, left the vessel on Sunday evening for Astoria and Portland.

Following the blow of Sunday, the stern of the ship sank deeper into the sand. Her bow is now sticking high up out of the water and she is resting amidships.

Good Catches of Spring Salmon Are Reported

PORT ALBERNI, Feb. 24.—Great activity is now taking place among the salmon trollers and the majority of the boats have almost completed their overhaul. Some good catches of springs have been secured. The trollers, who make their living from this manner of fishing, are very well satisfied with the new fishing regulations, as they do not directly affect them, except that for years the trollers have been endeavoring to have the large seine boats controlled, so that the fish would have a better chance to survive.

ARIZONA IS DUE HERE WEDNESDAY

Having left Yokohama on February 13, one day late, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Arizona Maru is expected at Rithet piers on Wednesday with 105 tons of cargo and eleven third class passengers. She carries three first class and twenty-three third class for Seattle.

PETER HELMS IN WITH CORN CARGO

To unload 500 tons of Argentine corn, the Munson-McCormick freighter Peter Helms arrived from San Francisco in command of Capt. Silvia at 7 o'clock Sunday morning. She left Rithet piers for Fraser River ports at midnight.

R.M.C.S. Vancouver

H. M. C. S. Vancouver, now at Miami, will leave Florida on March 4 for Montego Bay, St. Anne's Bay and Port Antonio, all of Jamaica. She will sail for Kingston on March 12, and will remain there until March 19.

Marine Notes

C. G. S. Estevan, proceeding around Vancouver Island, was storm bound in San Juan Inlet on the West Coast, on Sunday. With fair weather on Monday, she was able to proceed with her calls at lighthouses, buoys and beacons.

Engine overhaul to the fishing ship Bromada is nearing completion at the G. B. Murdie, Limited, plant.

C. G. S. Malaspina is having her boilers retubed at the Victoria Machinery Depot. Ss. Princess Patricia is still tied up at the plant. The Lillooet is having her deckhouse altered.

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UNLUCKY BIRD CAUSES WRECK

SUPERSTITIOUS SEAMEN OF COPENHAGEN ADVANCE THEORY

Cite Photographs Received of Kobenhavn Crew With Albatross

COPENHAGEN.—(By Mail)—Superstitious old salts of the Danish capital have penetrated, to their own satisfaction, the heavy fog of mystery that shrouds the fate of the Kobenhavn, the Danish merchant marine training ship which disappeared a year ago after sailing from Buenos Aires for Australia.

The waterfront seers are sure a terrible fate befell her because some of the forty-eight cadets aboard captured an albatross before they cleared from the South American port.

They draw a close parallel between this fine modern ship and the tale related in Samuel Taylor Coleridge's "Rline of the Ancient Mariner," whose cumbersome craft became "a painted ship upon a painted ocean "because of the murder of "the sweet bird that made the breeze to blow."

Receipt here of photographs mailed from Buenos Aires and showing members of the crew of the Kobenhavn on deck with their capture, was sufficient to convince all the veteran seafarers of Copenhagen that the mystery never would be explained by mortal minds. Only the storm fiends of the Southern waters could tell all, according to the sailors. As Coleridge wrote:

"God save thee Ancient Mariner!
From the fiends that plague thee
thus!
Why lookist thou so?"—With my
cross bow
I shot the Albatross.
And I had done a hellish thing,
And it would work 'em woe."

As a matter of fact science has exhausted its resources in an attempt to find a plausible explanation for the complete disappearance of the largest sailing vessel in the world. The big five-masted barque was staunch and as completely equipped as modern seafarers could make her. She carried radio.

The last message came from the ship on the night of December 22, 1928. It contained no word of foreboding. After that came silence.

Months ago the owners gave up all hope of seeing their proud ship again. Lloyd's struck her off the maritime registers. The underwriters paid all insurance claims. The Maritime Court of Copenhagen declared that case closed and pensions have been paid to the relatives of the crew and the cadets.

Never in the history of shipping has a missing vessel been searched for more thoroughly than the Kobenhavn. Government craft went on special cruises in the South Atlantic. All ships plying those waters kept watch day and night for lifeboats or sinister bits of wreckage.

Only one hopeful clue developed. The inhabitants of Tristan da Cunha, a mountainous group half way between the Rio Plata and the Cape of Good Hope, told a strange story of seeing a derelict ship like the Kobenhavn passing the islands at the height of a terrific gale.

Dwellers in the islands rarely see a ship more than once a year but this one attracted unusual attention. They said she seemed deserted, with her rigging in disorder. She was tearing along seemingly without rudder control, like another Flying Dutchman.

But a big Swedish barque has since reported that she passed Tristan da Cunha that day. She was a four-master, while the Kobenhavn carried five sticks. No one really knows, however, whether the islanders saw the Swedish ship or the missing vessel.

Rochelle in Sunday From San Francisco

With a few tons of canned goods and compressed gas, the Kingsley Navigation Company's freighter, Rochelle, docked at Ogden Point at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. She left for Vancouver in command of Capt. W. Gibson one hour later.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Vessel Movements

SEATTLE, Feb 25—Arrived: Northland, Southeastern Alaska; Forbes Hauptman, Memphis City, New York; San Pedro, Admiral Chase, Los Angeles; Tenane, Northwestern, Tacoma; Iyo Maru, Hong Kong; Katrina Luckenbach, Boston; Horace X. Baxter, San Francisco; Golden Eagle, Sydney; Sailed: Florence Luckenbach, New Orleans; Golden Eagle, Sydney; Ixion, Tacoma; Admiral Chase, Los Angeles; San Bernardino, Calmar, Philadelphia; Columbia Maru, Victoria.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 24—Arrived: Ryder Haniff, San Francisco; Barbara Cates, Baltimore; Charles L. Wheeler, Jr., Los Angeles; San Simeon, Philadelphia, F. S. Loop, San Francisco. Sailed: Oregon Star, Newcastle; Topila, Los Angeles; Ohioan, Boston.

TACOMA, Feb 24—Arrived: Pacific Ranger, Glasgow; Everett, Manila; San Pedro, Los Angeles; James Griffith, Oakland, Pacific Fir, Philadelphia; Admiral Chase, Los Angeles. Sailed: Glymont, Los Angeles; Northwestern, Seward; San Domingo, Baltimore, Point San Pablo, Mobile, Tenana, Seward; San Pedro, Portland.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 24.—Arrived: St Mihiel, Honolulu; Hesperos, Portland; Humboldt, San Pedro; Utscarbon, San Pedro; Andrea F. Luckenbach, Seattle; Eldorado, Portland. Sailed: H M Storey, Admiral Wiley, San Pedro; Madrid Chandler, Admiral Watson, Seattle; Julia Luckenbach, Boston; West Honaker, Durban, South Africa.

ARRIVED

PORT ARTHUR, Feb. 24—New Jersey, San Pedro.

CALCUTTA, Feb. 24—Silver Oak, San Francisco.

BREMEN, Feb. 21.—Witell, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, Feb. 21. — Diana Dollar, Seattle.

OSAKA, Feb. 21.—Oridono Maru, Grays Harbor.

DAIREN, Feb 23—Golden Fleece, San Francisco.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 23—Loch Goil, San Pedro.

YOKOHAMA, Feb 23—Venice Maru, San Francisco, February 23, Taivo Maru, San Francisco.

SINGAPORE, Feb. 24 — Bintang, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Feb 24.—Solano, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, Feb 22.—Atago Maru, San Francisco; Siberia Maru, Seattle.

PANAMA CANAL, Feb. 23—Passed, bound west: Alaskan, New York for San Francisco; Atlantic, New York for San Francisco; Borga, Oslo for San Pedro.

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Part cloudy; fresh, southeast, 29.93; 48; light swell.

PACHENA—Part cloudy; calm; 29.97; 41; light swell.

CARMANAH—Part cloudy; light, east; 29.89; light swell.

CAPE BEALE—Part cloudy; calm; 29.95; moderate.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan, 8 p.m. unless otherwise stated)

PRINCESS MAQUINNA—At Port Alice, 4 p.m.

KEWANEE—Linnton for Avon, 410 miles off Avon.

GYOKOH MARU—Japan for Seattle, 180 miles off Seattle.

GENERAL SHERMAN—Port Alberni for Los Angeles, ten miles south of Cape Beale.

ARIZONA MARU—Bound Victoria, at noon, 500 miles off Estevan.

YOJIN MARU—Vancouver for Yokohama, 458 miles off Vancouver.

OREGON MARU—Yokohama for Seattle, 445 miles off Seattle.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

TO ARRIVE

ARIZONA MARU—From Orient, February 26.

NIAGARA—From Honolulu and Antipodes, February 28.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—From Orient, March 1.

AFRICA MARU—From Orient, March 3.

SIBERIA MARU—From Orient, March 5.

PRESIDENT LINCOLN—From Orient, March 7.

MODAVIA—From England, March 8.

TYNDAREUS—From Orient, March 11.

PACIFIC RELIANCE—From England, March 17.

PRESIDENT MADISON—From Orient, March 21.

EMPRESS OF ASIA — From Orient, March 22.

SULAIRIA—From England, March 23.

SHIDZUOKA MARU — From Orient, March 28.

AORANGI—From Honolulu and Antipodes, March 28.

PACIFIC SHIPPER — From England, March 29.

ALABAMA MARU — From Orient, March 30.

TEUCER—From Orient, April 1.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—From Orient, April 4.

OREGALIA—From England, April 5.

PRESIDENT JACKSON—From Orient, April 4.

YOKOHAMA MARU — From Orient, April 5.

TOYAMA MARU—From Orient, April 18.

PACIFIC EXPORTER—From England, April 18.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY—From Orient, April 18.

ARABIA MARU—From Orient, April 20.

TALTHYBIUS—From Orient, April 22.

NIAGARA—From Honolulu and Antipodes, April 25.

PACIFIC PIONEER — From England, April 26.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—From Orient, April 26.

MISHIMA MARU—From Orient, Apr. 26.

PRESIDENT GRANT — From Orient, May 2.

PARTHENIA—From England, May 8.

ARIZONA MARU—From Orient, May 3.

SIBERIA MARU—From Orient, May 10.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—From Orient, May 16.

EMPRESS OF ASIA — From Orient, May 17.

GRACIA—From England, May 18.

AFRICA MARU—From Orient, May 18.

AORANGI—From Honolulu and Antipodes, May 23.

PACIFIC ENTERPRISE—From England, May 24.

HIKAWA MARU—From Orient, May 28 (first trip).

PRESIDENT PIERCE — From Orient, May 30.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—From Orient, May 30.

TO DEPART

NIAGARA—For Honolulu and Antipodes, March 5.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA — For Honolulu and Orient, March 8.

IYO MARU—For Orient, March 6.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—For Orient, March 8.

ARIZONA MARU—For Orient, March 18.

AFRICA MARU—For Orient, March 18.

SIBERIA MARU—For Orient, March 19.

PRESIDENT LINCOLN — For Orient, March 22.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Honolulu and Orient, March 88.

AORANGI—For Honolulu and Antipodes, April 8.

PRESIDENT MADISON — For Orient, April 5.

SHIDZUOKA MARU—For Orient, Apr. 5.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—For Honolulu and Orient, April 17.

ALABAMA MARU—For Orient, April 14.

PRESIDENT JACKSON — For Orient, April 19.

YOKOHAMA MARU — For Orient, April 19.

NIAGARA—For Honolulu and Antipodes, April 30.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY — For Orient, May 3.

ARABIA MARU—For Orient, May 4.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—For Honolulu and Orient, May 8.

MISHIMA MARU—For Orient, May 13.

PRESIDENT GRANT — For Orient, May 17.

ARIZONA MARU—For Orient, May 19.

SIBERIA MARU—For Orient, May 28.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Honolulu and Orient, May 30.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—For Orient, May 31.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE MAILS

Close—11 p.m., February 14, 28; March 14, 28; April 11, 25; via Vancouver, 1:13 p.m., February 20, March 6, 20; April 3, 17; via Prince Rupert.

Due—7 a.m., February 28, March 14, 28; April 11, 25.

BRITISH MAILS

SS. METAGAMA—Mails close 1:13 p.m., February 21.

SS. BERLIN (via New York)—Mails close 4 p.m., February 21.

SS. AQUITANIA (via New York)—Mails close 4 p.m., February 23.

SS. ALAUNIA—Mails close 1:13 p.m., February 24.

SS. MINNEDOSA—Mails close 1:13 p.m., February 25.

SS. GEORGE WASHINGTON (via New York)—Mails close 4 p.m., February 25.

SS. ILE DE FRANCE (via New York)—Mails close 4 p.m., March 1.

SS. BERENGARIA (via New York)—Mails close 4 p.m., March 2.

Mails intended for transmission via New York must be so marked.

TRANSPACIFIC MAIL

FEBRUARY, 1930

CHINA AND JAPAN

PRESIDENT PIERCE—Mails close February 8, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 21; Shanghai, February 25; Hong Kong, February 28.

*TOYAMA MARU (via Vancouver)—Mails close February 10, 11 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 28.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—Mails close February 15, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 1; Shanghai, March 5; Hong Kong, March 7.

*TALTHYBIUS (via Vancouver)—Mails close February 17, 1:13 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 3.

PRESIDENT TAFT—Mails close February 22, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 7; Shanghai, March 11; Hong Kong, March 14.

*LONDON MARU (via Vancouver)—Mails close February 27, 11 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 16.

*Japan only.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

AORANGI—Mails close February 5, 3 p.m. Due at Auckland February 24; Sydney, March 1.

†BONOMA—Mails close February 16, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney March 8.

MAKURA—Mails close February 16, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington March 10; Sydney, March 15.

†VENTURA—Mails close March 3, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney March 27.

NIAGARA—Mails close March 5, 3 p.m. Due at Auckland March 24; Sydney, March 29.

†Australia only.

GULF ISLANDS MAILS

GANGES

Mails close at Victoria—Wednesday, Friday, Sunday, 11 p.m. Tuesday, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Thursday, 6:45 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday afternoon. Friday, Saturday, 7 a.m.

SALT SPRING ISLAND

Mails close at Victoria—Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11 a.m. Tuesday, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, 8:45 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, Friday, 7 a.m.

FULFORD HARBOR

Mails close at Victoria—Monday, Thursday, 8:45 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Tuesday, Saturday afternoon.

BEAVER POINT

Mails close at Victoria—Friday, 11 p.m.
Mails due at Victoria—Saturday, 7 a.m.

PORT WASHINGTON

Mails close at Victoria—Sunday, Thursday, Friday, 11 p.m. Tuesday, 10:30 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Monday, Saturday afternoon. Wednesday, Friday morning.

MAYNE

Mails close at Victoria—Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11 p.m. Tuesday, 10:30 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Monday, Tuesday, Saturday afternoon. Friday, Saturday, 7 a.m.

GALIANO

Mails close at Victoria—Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11 p.m. Tuesday, 10:30 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Monday, Saturday afternoon. Friday, Saturday afternoon.

SATURNA, SOUTH PENDER

Mails close at Victoria—Monday, Thursday, 8:45 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Tuesday afternoon. Saturday morning.

MUSGRAVE, NORTH GALIANO

Mails close at Victoria—Monday, 8:45 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Tuesday afternoon.

PENDER ISLAND

Mails close at Victoria—Sunday, Friday, 11 p.m. Tuesday, 10:30 a.m. Thursday, 8:45 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Monday, Tuesday, Saturday afternoon. Saturday morning.

Vestris' Sister Vessel Vauban In Ship Crash

(Associated Press)

MONTEVIDEO, Feb. 24.—The British liner Vauban, bound from New York to Buenos Aires, collided early today with the 404-ton Uruguayan coasting steamer Batitu, near this port. The Batitu's crew was saved.

Built as the Mariposa at Glasgow in 1889, the Batitu is owned by the Cia Uruguaya de Navigatione, of Montevideo. She is of 290 tons net, 154 feet long, 28.1 feet in beam and 8.8 feet deep.

A sister ship of the ill-fated Vestris, the Vauban was built at Belfast in 1912 and is owned by Lamport & Holt, of Liverpool. She is of 10,060 tons gross, 6,099 tons net, 495.5 feet long, 60.8 feet in beam and 28.7 feet deep.

WEATHER HOLDS JAPANESE SHIP

IYO MARU ARRIVES WITH $2,450,000 IN GOLD ABOARD

Will Make Last Trip Out of This Port for the Orient in March

Carrying 5,000,000 yen in gold, valued at $2,450,000, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Iyo Maru arrived at Rithet piers at 6:45 o'clock yesterday morning from Yokohama, in command of Captain M. Shigyo, delayed forty-eight hours by rough weather on the Pacific. The gold was consigned to the San Francisco mint.

Victoria will bid farewell to the liner when she sails from here for the Orient on March 8, for, on arrival at Japan, she will be placed in a route to Africa and the east coast of South America. Since advent of the Mishima Maru, the N.Y.K. has placed the Siberia Maru in service out of Victoria to the Far East, and on May 28 will bring out the new motorship Hikawa Maru, to be followed by the Hiye Maru and Helan Maru.

For this port the Iyo Maru carried three passengers, eighty-six bags of mail, twelve bags of air mail and fifty tons of raw silk, earthenware, porcelain and toys. For Seattle there were six first class passengers, forty-three third class, 1,937 bales of raw silk and 2,450 tons of cargo. The ship left at 9:10 o'clock in the morning.

Columbia Maru Due Esquimalt For Drydocking

Yarrows received word yesterday that the Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha motorship, Columbia Maru, will arrive at Esquimalt this morning to be placed in the new drydock.

Built in Japan in 1927, the Columbia Maru is of 5,612 tons gross, 405 feet long, 55 feet in beam and 32 feet deep.

C. G. Ms. Berens, which has spent the past few days in the Gulf of Georgia, arrived at Vancouver last evening.

AORANGI HELD BY SMALLPOX

Second Class Passenger With Disease Forces Big Liner to Auckland Quarantine

VESSEL LEFT HERE EARLY IN FEBRUARY

AUCKLAND, N.Z., Feb. 24.—The liner Aorangi, bound from Victoria to Sydney, New South Wales, was forced to put in at quarantine yesterday because a woman passenger was suffering from a mild form of smallpox. She had booked second class from Vancouver to Sydney.

Passengers bound for Auckland were allowed to disembark, but they will be quarantined for three weeks. The vessel afterwards proceeded to Australia.

Carrying 123 first class passengers, sixty-one second class and twenty-nine third class, the Aorangi left here on the evening of February 5.

Passengers aboard included Capt. James Aitken, Dr. A. T. Chapelle, Dr. R. D. Ferguson, Rev. J. Flynn, Rev. Mother Louise Henrietta, Dr. W. K. Inglis, Dr. Huff Johnston, Sister Mary Lillian, Prof. W. A. Osborne, Capt. J. S. Wood and Mrs. Wood, Capt. W. Wright and Mrs. Wright, Elder M. W. Butler, Elder V. L. Stubbs and Elder Ray Gammon.

Railway to Expend Millions in Canada

(Canadian Press)

WINNIPEG, Feb. 24.—The C.P.R. will expend $21,000,000 in Western Canada this year, it was announced today by Mr. D. C. Coleman on his return from a conference at Montreal with executive officers of the company.

Branch line construction and improvement designed to increase the capacity and efficiency of lines now operating will absorb the entire appropriation for the West, Mr. Coleman said. Eleven million dollars is set aside for the branch line construction programme and ten million for improvement on existing lines.

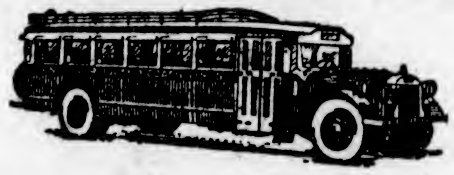
The programme of bridge replacement will be most extensive, covering many structures on the Kettle Valley Railway and the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway. On the latter railway considerable extension will be made to the wharves at Nanaimo.

As already announced, work will be carried on on the tunnel at Vancouver, which is designed to carry the traffic between the Burrard Inlet yard and the False Creek yard of the company. The cost will be borne by the railway and by the city of Vancouver in proportions fixed by the Railway Commission. Diamond drilling tests preparatory to this work are at present being carried on by the Mitchell Diamond Drilling Company.

HAIFA, Palestine, Feb. 24.—Work on the new harbor here has begun after a year of preliminary engineering. Five miles of railway, with accompanying shops, water tanks and explosive magazines were constructed preparatory to starting actual work on the harbor.

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Duncan-Cowichan Lake
Nanaimo-Courtenay-Cumberland
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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Prices Trend Lower Still At N.Y., But Declines Are Only Upon Moderate Scale

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Stock prices drifted lower in the dullest session of the stock exchange in more than a month today. Further drastic declines in the wheat and cotton markets, and indecisive week-end business reports effectively turned the damper on speculative enthusiasm. Total sales were only 2,320,430 shares, about 240,000 less than Friday's.

Losses were largely moderate, the price index of ninety leading shares showing a decline of less than two points, and the market suffered primarily from lack of demand rather than extensive offerings. A "bear" group operating from Southern resorts was said to have applied a little pressure here and there, but it was of a cautious sort.

Developments ushering in the long heralded period of unusually cheap money have been disappointingly tardy of late. Call money, after renewing at 4 per cent today, rose to 4 1-2 as banks called more than $60,000,000 on loans.

U.S. Steel closed at $179 1-2, off 3 1-2 net, and 10 points below its recently established 1930 high. Utilities generally sagged, with American and Foreign Power losing more than 3 points, in response to rumors of a forthcoming offering of senior securities.

Foreign exchanges were steady to firm, with sterling cables ruling at $4.86 1-4, up 1-16.

The bond market was dull but steady today. Prices edged upward and eased off in confusing fashion, leaving an even mixture of gains and losses which, in the case of the high grade listings, were scarcely half a point in extent.

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Last
Alleghany Corpn.	32-5	31-1	31-1
Allied Chem.	269	269	268
Amerada Corpn.	18-2	18	18-2
Am. Can.	136	134-4	134-4
Am. Car & Fdy.	80-2	80-3	80-3
Am. For Power	93-7	92-3	93-6
Am. Locomotive	99-3	99-2	99-3
Am. Smelters	72-1	72	72
Am. Steel Fdy.	48	48	48
Am. Sum. Tob.	34-5	34-5	34-5
Am. Tel. & Tel.	233-7	230-1	230-4
Am. Tobacco B	233-4	230-5	233-4
Am. Woolens	19-4	18-4	19-1
Anaconda	74	73	73-2
Armour A	5-6	5-5	5-6
Ass'd Dry Goods	32	31-6	32
Atlantic Gulf	70-4	67-4	67-4
Atlantic Refinery	39-5	38	38-2
Atchison	233-4	232-4	232-4
Auburn Motors	220	217	217
Baltimore & Ohio	116-7	116-1	116-1
Bangor & Aroostk	75-4	74-4	74-4
Barnsdall "A"	21-2	21	21
Bethlehem Steel	100-1	98-5	98-6
Bosch Magneto	48-6	48-6	48-6
Brooklyn Manhat.	71-3	70-1	70-1
Calumet & Aris.	77-4	75-4	76-4
Calumet & Hecla	39-5	39-4	39-5
Can. Dry Ging. Ale	72	71-5	72
Can. Pacific	210	208-4	208-4
Cerro De Pasco	60-1	60-1	60-1
Certain-teed Prod.	13-4	13-4	13-4
Chesap'ke & Ohio	228-4	226	228
Chi. Gt. Western	14-4	13-4	13-6
Chi. Mil. & St. P.	24-2	23-1	23-1
Chi. & Northwest.	88	86	86
Chi. R.I. & Pac.	119-4	119-4	116-4
Chrysler Motor	38	37-3	37-3
Coca Cola	145-7	144-7	145-2
Congoleum-Nairn	17	16-6	16-6
Col. Fuel & Iron	52-4	51	51
Columbia Gas	90-2	89-1	89-1
Col. Graph'one Co.	29-2	28-2	28-2
Cons. Gas	121-4	119-3	120
Cont. Motor	7-5	7-2	7-2
Corn Products	93-2	92-2	92-2
Crucible Steel	86-4	86-4	86-4
Curtiss Aero	10-6	10-1	10-5
Davison Chemical	39	37-4	37-5
Dupont Powder	125-2	123-2	122
Eastman Kodak	307	284	305
Elec. Power	63-3	60-6	61
Elec. Storage Batt.	74-4	74-4	74-4
Englin'rs Pb. Srv.	54	52	52
Erie	61	59-2	59-2
Famous Players	66-1	64-6	65-2
Fox Film "A"	32	31-2	32-2
Freeport, Texas	40-2	40-1	40-2
Gabriel Snubbers	8-1	6	8
Gardner Motor	6-1	6	6
General Am. Tank	105-2	103-4	103-6
General Asphalt	53	53	53
Gen. Electric	73-3	71-7	71-7
Gen. Food	51-7	50-	50
Gen. Motors	42-3	41-4	41-5
Gen. Ry. Signal	91-7	91-6	91-6
Gold Dust	42-3	41-4	42
Goodrich Rubber	47	46-2	47
Great North. Ore	32-5	32-5	32-5
Granby	56-4	56-1	56-1
Great North., pfd.	100-3	99	99
Gt. West Sugar	38-6	38	38-1
Greene Cananea	90	90	90
Gulf States Steel	69-3	69	69
Houston Oil	64	60-5	61-1
Howe Sound	38	36-4	38
Hudson Motor	56	55	55
Hupp. Motors	22-1	21	21-6
Illinois Central	138	138	138
Imperial Oil	24	23	24
Inspiration	27-3	26-6	27-3
Int. Comb. Eng.	7-4	6-7	7-3
Intl. Harvester	91-2	89-5	89-5
Int'l Match. pfd.	78-6	78-6	78-6
Int'l Paper	28-2	26-3	26-3
Int. Nickel	37-5	37	37-6
Int. Tel. & Tel.	70-4	67	67
Johns-Manville	133-4	132	132
Kan. City South	77-7	77-7	77-7
Kelvinator	14	12-5	14
Kennecott Copper.	57	55-7	56-5
Kolster-Radio	3-1	3	3
Lehigh Valley	73	73	73
Louis. & Nash	124	134	134
Mack Truck	79-5	78-5	78-5
Marlin-Rockwell	46-1	46-1	46-1
Mex Seaboard	20-5	19	19-2
Mid. Cont'nt Pets	24-3	24	24
Miss. Pacific	91-3	91-1	91-1
Montgomery Ward	45	44	44
Nash Motors	51	50-5	50-6
Natl. Cash Reg.	73-6	73-4	73-4
Natl. Dairy Prod.	48-1	48	48-1
Natl. Pr. & Light	38-7	38	38
Norfolk & West	263	253	263
North American	107-1	105-4	107
Northern Pacific	96-7	94-2	94-3
N.Y. Central	184-4	181-2	182-3
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	120	120	120
N.Y., Ont. & West	14	14	14
Packard Motor	18-4	17-7	18-1
Pan. American B.	52	51-5	52
Pennsylvania R.R.	83-3	82	82-3
Pere Marquette	155	155	155
Phillips Pete	30-6	29-6	30
Producers & Ref.	6-7	6	6
Public Ser. of N.J.	96-1	94-1	95-2
Pullman Co.	84	82-2	83-4
Radio	45-4	43-6	44-2
Reading	137	128	137
Reo Motors	13-1	13-1	13-1
Rep. Iron & Steel	77	76-2	77
Royal Dutch	50-5	50-2	50-2
Schults	9-1	9-1	9-1
Sears Roebuck	69-3	66	67
Shell Union	21-6	21-1	21-1
Simmons Co.	68	66-1	67-2
Sinclair Cons.	23-1	22-4	22-4
S. Cal. Edison	62-7	62-4	62-4
Southern Pac.	131-4	130-4	131-4
Southern Railway	130-4	130-4	130-4
Standard Brand	37	35-7	36
Standard Gas	119-7	117-2	117-4
Standard Oil, Cal.	59-6	58-3	58-3
Standard Oil, N.J.	59-2	58-4	58-4
Standard Oil, N.Y.	32-2	31-7	32-2
Stewart Warner	39-1	38-1	39-1
St. Louis & S. Fran.	112	112	112
Studebaker	43-2	42-5	42-5
Texas Co.	51-4	50-7	50-7
Texas Gulf Sulphur	61-2	60-5	60-6
Timken Roller	17-3	76	76
Union Oil of Cal.	42	42	42
Union Pacific	226-2	225	225
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	30-4	29-5	29-5
U.S. Ind. Alco.	117	116-4	117
U.S. Rubber	26-1	25-2	25-2
U.S. Steel	183-2	178-3	178-3
Underwood Typ.	121	118-4	118-4
Union Carbide	89-5	88-5	89
Util. Pw'r & Light	37	36	36-7
Vanadium	66-6	65-4	65-4
Wabash	55-4	55-4	55-4
Warner Bros. Pict.	61-7	60	60-3
Westing. Air Br'ke	48	47-1	48
Warren Bros. Pavg.	151-8	150-6	150-6
Westing. Elec.	174-2	170-4	170-7
White Motor	24-2	24	24-3
Willys-Overland	10	9-7	10
Woolworth	83-2	81-7	81-7
Yston Sft & Tu	127	127	127
Yel. Trk & Coach	20-2	19-7	20

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.— Foreign exchanges:
France—3.91 5-16; cables 3.91 7-16.
Italy—5.23¼; cables 5.23¾.
Belgium—13.92½.
Germany—23.85.
Holland—40.07½.
Norway—28.73.
Sweden—26.81.
Denmark—26.76¼.
Switzerland—19.29.
Spain—13.45.
Greece—1.29¾.
Poland—.1125.
Czechoslovakia—2.95 1-8.
Jugoslavia—1.76.
Austria—.1406.
Rumania—.58¾.
Argentina—38.00.
Brasil—11.34.
Tokio—46.15.
Shanghai—48.09.
Montreal—99.50.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb 24.— Demand 485¾; cables 486¼; sixty-day bills on banks 482¾.

WHEAT MARKET DISORGANIZED

Heavy at Winnipeg With No Export Business or Outside Interest—Demand Poor

COARSE GRAINS ARE FIRMER THAN WHEAT

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Feb. 24. — The wheat market continued disorganized, with a lack of export business and very little outside interest being shown, the local market was very heavy, prices breaking over four cents in the May futures from the close Saturday, while Chicago broke fully six cents from the close Friday.

Offerings were pretty liberal throughout the session largely by way of liquidation, but the selling was scattered and no large amounts were thrown on the market from any particular source. The chief feature was the poor demand, and at times the market appeared to sink of its own weight. Seaboard estimated sales over the week-end at around 300,000 bushels in all positions, but, so far as this could be confirmed locally, the sales consisted largely of durums. There were a few rallies from time to time, but they were feeble and not maintained, the lowest levels being reached in the latter part of the session. There was very little doing in the cash wheat market, but a fair demand existed for the odd cars, which were the only lots trading. Spreads were unchanged; large holders were not interested in prevailing quotations. The United States visible decreased 1,608,000 bushels and the Canadian visible decreased 3,093,000 bushels. These figures are very small for this time of the year, especially considering the heavy supplies.

Coarse grains markets, while lower, were somwhat firmer than wheat, there being no particular pressure in evidence. There was not much feature to oats or barley nl the futures market, but there was some very good buying of July rye. There is a continued good demand from Eastern Canada for all low grade oats and mixed for feeding purposes.

Flax market continued dull and draggy, with no feature.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	114	114⅛	110⅝	111⅝
July	116	116	113⅝	113⅝
Oct.	117	118¼	114⅞	115½
Oats—				
May	56¼	56⅝	55⅛	55⅝
July	55½	55⅝	54⅛	54⅜
Rye—				
May	72⅝	72¾	71	71⅝
July	73½	73⅝	72¼	73
Barley—				
May	53¼	53⅜	51⅛	51⅝
Oct.	57½	58	57	57
July	55	55½	52⅞	54⅛
Flax—				
	252	253	252	253

LIVERPOOL—Open, 1¼ to 2 lower. Close, 1¼ to 2¼ lower.

INDEMNITIES FOR TUESDAY

Wheat—	Bid	Offer
May	107¼	115⅝
July	108⅝	...

WINNIPEG GRAIN CASH CLOSE

Wheat—No. 1 Nor., 107⅝; 2 Nor., 104⅝; 3 Nor., 100⅛; 4, 63⅝; 5, 89⅛; 6, 88⅛; feed, 88⅝; track, 108⅝.
Oats—No. 3 C.W., 56¼; 2 C.W., 49⅝; extra No. 1 feed, 46⅞; 1 feed, 48⅝; 2 feed, 46; rejected, 42¼; track, 53¼.
Barley—No. 3 C.W., 48⅛; 4 C.W., 43⅝; track, 49¼.
Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., 246⅝; 2 C.W., 242⅝; rejected, 207; track, 247¼.
Rye—No. 1 C.W., 88½; 2 C.W., 83⅛; rejected, 86⅝; track, 88⅝.

SILVER MARKET

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Bar silver, 19 7-8d per ounce.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Bar silver, 43. Mexican dollars, 32.

Oil Merger To Be Tested In Courts

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—A $900,000,000 merger of the Standard Oil Co., of New York, and the Vacuum Oil Co., two former units of the Standard Oil Trust, which was dissolved by a consent decree of the United States Supreme Court in 1911, was announced Friday by the directors of both corporations. At the same time it was revealed in a form letter to stockholders that the Government intends to test the legality of the merger in the courts. Because of the prospect of a long court fight, the stockholders will not be asked to ratify the merger until it is finally determined whether it violates the anti-trust laws.

Carl Williams, of Federal Farm Board, asks immediate reduction of 6,000,000 acres in cotton acreage, and says Southern farmers face prospect this year of no Government aid of an effective character because of over production.

Fischer's price index in week ended February 21 was 92.2, against 93.1 a week previous.

California crude oil production for week ended February 22 totaled 797,400 barrels, increase of 31,500 barrels, according to Oil World. Increase largely due flow test in flush areas.

Crude rubber stocks in London on February 22 totaled 68,725 tons, an increase of sixty-six tons over preceding week.

BOBJO MINES MAY ACQUIRE CONTROL OF SAN ANTONIO

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

TORONTO, Feb. 24. — Bobjo mines are understood to have acquired a block of 600,000 shares of San Antonio and an option on another block sufficient to give them control if taken up. San Antonio owns approximately 670 acres in the Rice Lake section of Manitoba, and Bobjo owns approximately 1,320 acres in the Patricia area.

Hudson's Bay's profit for its first year's operation is estimated at between $1 and $1.50 per share. The company, however, will not go into production until about a year from now. The stock, accordingly, at around $12 to $13 per share, appears to discount the future to some extent.

A great number of mining companies in British Columbia have been forced to close down, due to the assignment of Stobie, Forlong & Co., the last one being the Slocan mines. The majority, however, will probably only be shut down temporarily.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the British American Oil Co. will be held in Toronto today, when a full explanation of the recent financing and the purchase of oil properties in the Southern States will likely be given.

Sherritt Gordon now have a working capital of about $1,300,000, including their deposit with the Canadian Northern Railway. It is likely that an additional $1,000,000 will be required before the property comes into production.

The annual meeting of Wright Hargreaves will be held at 2 p.m. today in Buffalo.

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

TORONTO, Feb. 24—Quotations at 11 a.m., Eastern time.

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi Power & Paper pfd.	76	...
Beatty Bros. com.	30	31
Beatty Bros. pfd.	85	90
Bell Telephone	157	...
B.A. Oil	28	...
Brazilian T.L. & P.	37	...
B.C. Packers	6	...
B.C. Power "A"	37¾	...
Building Products "A"	36	...
Canadian Bakeries "A"	...	31½
Canada Gypsum	24¾	25¾
Can. Ind. Alcohol "A"	9¾	...
Canadian Hydro Electric	81½	...
Canadian Pacific (N.Y.)	210	...
City Dairy com.	48½	50
Cockshutt Plow	20	...
Con. Smelters	335	...
Cosmos Imp. com.	...	18
Dominion Bridge	77	...
Dominion Glass	137	...
Ford of Canada "A"	29¾	...
Frost Steel & Wire com.	13¾	14
Frost Steel & Wire pfd.	85¼	95
General Steel Wares	13¼	...
Hamilton Bridge	35	...
Hinde & Dauch. com.	...	16
Home Oil	8.75	8.80
Imperial Oil	23¼	...
Intl. Nickel	37⅝	...
Intl. Petroleum	18½	18⅝
Intl. Utilities "A"	38½	39½
Lake of Woods com.	42	...
Massey-Harris com.	36	37
McColl Frontenac	28½	38
Montreal Power	138	...
Nerands	36.00	39.45
Page-Hersey Tubes	97	...
Power Corpn.	76	...
Quebec Power	84½	...
Riverside "A"	21	32
Service Station "A"	45	45¾
Service Station pfd. "A"	109	...
Shawinigan W. & P.	75	...
Sherritt Gordon	2.60	2.62
Steel of Canada com.	46	...
Sudbury Basin	3.10	3.20
Ventures	1.55	1.70
Walkers G. & W.	81½	82
Western Steel Products	28½	...
Winnipeg Elec. com.	44½	...

Bank Stocks

(BRANSON, BROWN & CO., LTD.)

	Close
Chase	184
Commerce	265
Dominion	232
First National	6,800
Imperial	258
Montreal	243
National City	243
Nova Scotia	325
Royal	311
Toronto	350

Closing Grain Quotations

WINNIPEG

	Wheat	Oats
May	111¾	55⅞
July	113¾	54⅝
Oct.	116½	51⅝

CHICAGO

	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rye
Mar.	103¾	82	46¾	77½
May	108¾	85¾	42¾	73¾
July	110¾	86¼	42¾	77½
Sept.	113¼	87½	41¾	79

LIQUIDATION SWEEPS MART

Support Lacking Over North American Wheat Market—Export Demand Slow

CORN DELIVERIES ALL AT NEW LOW

(B.C. Bond Corporation, Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—A wave of liquidation swept over the North American wheat market and found support lacking with all deliveries declining to new longs for the crop year, as stop loss orders came into the pit in a persistent manner. Buying against bids and by shorts furnished the bulk of the support but it was inadequate to absorb the heavy selling and each wave of liquidation carried prices off to a new low for the day. Weakness in Liverpool and Winnipeg had some effect; the former market showed relative strength compared with Chicago and March there gains around 40 on the local market in the past few days. Liverpool closed 2 5-8 to 2 7-8d lower as compared with Friday while Buenos Aires at midday was 1-4 to 3-8 cents lower than on Saturday. Export demand was slow with sales of 300,000 to 400,000 bushels estimated. It is estimated around 6,000,000 bushels storage room is available in the Northwest, but little room in Omaha and Southwest.

Weakness in wheat led to local and commission house selling of corn with all deliveries at a new low for the crop year. Buying by shorts and against bids helped to check the decline but the lowest figures of the day were made shortly toward the last.

Oats and rye sold at a new low for the season, with liquidation and stop loss selling a factor. There was buying of rye against sales of corn which gave the former market support.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
Mar.	107	107	103	103⅝
July	114	114	109¾	110⅞
May	113	113	107¼	108¼
Sept.	116¼	116⅛	112⅛	112¼
Corn				
Mar.	86	84¼	80⅝	83
July	90	90¼	87⅛	88¼
May	88⅝	88⅝	84⅝	86
Sept.	90	90¼	86¾	87½
Oats—				
Mar.	41⅛	41½	40¼	40⅝
July	43⅝	43⅝	41⅝	42⅝
May	42	42⅛	42	42⅝
Sept.	42½	42½	41⅝	42
Rye—				
Mar.	78	79	77	77¼
July	76	78½	76	77⅝
May	75	76⅝	74⅞	75¼
Sept.	79⅝	80¼	79	79

INDEMNITIES FOR TUESDAY

Wheat—	Bid	Offer
Mar.	...	106
July	106¼	114¼
May	104½	112½
Sept.	105½	117
Corn—		
July	85¼	...
Sept.	83	87¾
Oats—		
May	41¾	...

CHICAGO GRAIN CASH CLOSE

Wheat—No. 2 R., 110; 1 H., 120; 2 H., 118; 2 D.H., 118; 2 M., 104¾.
Corn—No. 4 M., 74 @ 76; 5 M., 70 @ 73¾; 2 Y., 78½ @ 80; 4 Y., 74 @ 75.
Oats—No. 2 W., 41 @ 42¾; 3 W., 41 @ 41¾; 4 W., 39 @ 40¾.

RUTH HOPE MINES CONTINUE MILLING

More High Grade Reported in Sight at Noranda—New Grandview Manager

(Mehsrey, Roe & Co., Ltd.)

Ruth Hope Mining Company is continuing its milling operations. With the present low price for metals the company is doing little better than meet expenses, which include extension of development. Ruth Hope Mining Company has taken over the option on the Brandon group of claims which lies above its holdings and on which a considerable amount of high-grade ore is known to exist. It is planned to connect the Brandon with the Ruth mill by the construction of approximately 1,500 feet of aerial tram.

It is reported that Noranda has added 1,000,000 tons of high-grade ore to its 2,000,000 tons proven a year ago, and that some 4,000,000 tons of low-grade ore has been blocked out which may be used for operating on a larger scale.

Guy E. Riegal was elected managing director at the annual meeting of the Grandview Mines, succeeding R. H. Stewart, resigned. The directors deny that there have been any negotiations for merging of the Grandview and Pend Oreille properties. It has been decided to withhold zinc concentrates from the market. During the nine months in which the mill was in operation 50,600 tons of ore were milled, producing 108,800 ounces of silver, 690,432 pounds of lead, and 2,301,853 paunds of zinc.

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE

Interest due—	Buy	Sell
1933, 1st May & Nov.	101.85	102.35
1937, 1st June & Dec.	104.85	105.35

WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE

1931, 1st Apr & Oct.	99.90	100.40
1927, 1st Mar & Sept. (payable New York)	101.60	102.10

VICTORY LOAN, 6½%

1932, 1st May & Nov.	101.05	101.55
1934, 1st May & Nov.	101.25	101.75

DOMINION LOAN

1943, 15th Apr & Oct., 5%	100.50	101.00
1940, 1st Mar & Sept., 4½%	85.50	88.25
1944, 15th Apr & Oct., 4½%	85.65	98.25
1946, 1st Feb & Aug., 4½%	85.50	98.25

Add accrued interest to date—
1937, 85 days, 1.281 per $100
1932, 1933, 1934, 115 days, 1.733 per $100.
1943, 122 days, 1.806 per $100
1944, 122 days, 1.827 per $100.
1946, 23 days, .383 per $100
Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans, ¼ of 1%.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Feb 24.—Futures quotations:

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
Mar.	122b	112b	109a	109⅝b
May	114b	114b	111a	111⅝b

Cash—No. 1 Northern, 107⅝; No. 2 Northern, 104⅝; No. 3 Northern, 101⅝; No. 4 wheat, 97⅝; No. 5 wheat, 89⅝; No. 6 wheat, 79⅝; feed, 77⅝.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Last
Alta. Pacific Grain	23-4	22-4	22-4
Abitibi	29-6	29-6	29-6
Asbestos	2-5	2-5	2-5
Atlantic Sugar	8	8	8
Ass. Breweries	16	16	16
B.A. Oil	27-7	26-6	26-6
Bell Telephone	157	157	157
Brazilian Trac.	27	26-4	26-4
B.C. Fish & Pack.	6	6	6
Brompton Paper	25	25	25
B.C. Power "A"	37-6	37-6	37-6
Can. Bronze	54	54	54
Can. Cement, com.	18	18	18
Can. Car Pdy., com.	25-7	25-6	25-6
Canada Gypsum	24-6	24-6	24-6
Can. S.S., com.	17	17	17
Can. S.S., pfd.	72	72	72
Can. Ind. Alcohol	6-6	6-4	6-4
Gen. Steel Ware	12	13	13
Cons. M. & S.	232	232	233
Dom. Bridge	77	76	76
Dom. Glass	136	135	135
Dom. Textile	74	74	74
Dryden Paper	10	10	10
Fraser Companies	16	16	16
Ill'am Walker	9-7	9-7	9-7
Massey Harris	35-6	35	35
McColl Frontenac	26	25	25
Montreal Power	138-6	134-4	138
National Breweries	27-4	27-4	27-4
Noranda	39-2	39	39-2
Page Hersey	99	92	99
Penmans, Ltd	78	78	78
Power Corp'n	78	78	78
Shawinigan	78-2	78	78
Steel of Can.	48-4	46-2	46-2
Winnipeg Elec.	44-4	44-4	44-4

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$5,000 Prov. of British Columbia 5%	Sept. 24, 1959	100.50	4.98%
$10,000 City of Vancouver 5%	Feb. 1, 1967	100.00	5.00%
$5,000 Dom. of Canada Gtg. C.N.O.R. 3½%	July 20, 1958	77.00	5.03%
$21,000 Alberta Gtg. Edmonton, Dunvegan & B.C. Railway 4½%	Oct. 22, 1944	94.25	5.06%
$10,000 Dist. of North Vancouver 5%	Mar. 15, 1940	98.07	5.25%
$5,000 West Vancouver 4½%	July 1, 1948	91.19	5.25%

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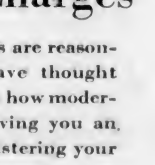
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DECLINES IN PRICES MARK DAY'S TRADE

Heavy Liquidation in Oils Cause of Rather Drastic Drops From Last Week's Values

MINES ARE QUIET AND LITTLE DONE

VANCOUVER, Feb. 24.—Rather drastic declines in the oils brought about by heavy liquidation, featured today's session of the Vancouver Stock Exchange. The mines were quiet and mostly unchanged.

Royalite made its appearance as an active factor for the first time in many days, and at the close was 9.00 lower at 25.00. Active leaders of the lower priced issues included A.P. Consolidated, Calmont and C. & E. Corporation, and all three suffered losses ranging from 18 to 20 cents per share. Home Oil dropped 95 cents to 7.65, while losses ranging from 3 to 15 cents were sustained by Associated Oil, United Oils, McLeod, Dalhousie and Baltac. Minor losses of 1 and 2 cents dotted the rest of the oil section.

Pend Oreille was one of the softest of the mines, dropping 10 to 2.90. Noble Five was up 1 at 16. Otherwise the mining lists were quiet.

MORNING SALES

Oils

A.P.C.—300 at 1.91; 400 at 1.82; 100 at 1.83; 1,100 at 1.84; 1,140 at 1.85; 200 at 1.86; 630 at 1.87; 25 at 1.70.
Advance—800 at .75.
Associated Oil—100 at 1.06; 100 at 1.12.
Commonwealth—100 at .46.
Dalhousie—200 at 1.47; 100 at 1.48; 1,100 at 1.50.
Fabran Pete.—3,000 at .08.
Freehold—200 at .45; 200 at .47.
Home Oil—100 at 2.49; 100 at 8.50; 10 at 8.60; 10 at 8.77.
Illinois-Alberta—200 at .25.
Calmont Oil—100 at 1.13; 200 at 1.14; 500 at 1.15; 700 at 1.15, 700 at 1.17; 900 at 1.19, 100 at 1.22; 975 at 1.25.
Marland Oil—200 at .51.
Merland Oil—3,500 at .30.
Mercury Oil—800 at .40.
McDougall Ex.—1,000 at .31; 500 at .32.
McLeod Oil—200 at 2.22; 100 at 2.23, 180 at 2.25.
Midwest—200 at .25.
Mill City—1,300 at .66.
Model Oil—100 at .20.
C. & E. Corporation—900 at 1.60; 1,000 at 1.65; 200 at 1.66; 220 at 1.70; 200 at 1.72; 100 at 1.74; 210 at 1.75.
McDougall, new—200 at .75.
Royalite—25 at 25.00; 10 at 30.00, 10 at 28.00.
Spooner Oil—100 at .55.
Sterling—1,000 at .28; 670 at .26.
United Oils—3,000 at .70.
Vancouver-Alberta—1,000 at .95.
Harzal Oil—90 at 1.06; 100 at 1.09; 1,850 at 1.10.
Baltac—700 at .52; 900 at .53; 400 at .53.

Mines

Big Missouri—100 at .62.
Bluebird—1,000 at .02½.
Cork Province—2,000 at .02; 500 at .02½.
Duthie Mines—1,400 at .25.
George Enterprise—200 at .09.
George Copper—100 at 2.10.
Grandview—3,300 at 13½; 3,000 at 13¾.
Lucky Jim—300 at .03.
Mohawk—1,000 at .01½.
Morton Woolsey—1,000 at .07½.
National Silver—6,300 at .08.
Premier Gold—300 at 1.40; 50 at 1.42.
Premier Border—7,000 at .03.
Noble Five—900 at .17; 3,300 at .12; 150 at .13.
Pend Oreille—210 at 3.00.
Reeves-McDonald—1,100 at .57; 100 at .58; 200 at .70.
Rufus-Arsente—200 at .06.
Ruth Hope—1,000 at .12.
Silvercrest—2,000 at .03.
Silvercup—1,000 at .01.
Snowflake—1,500 at .10½; 300 at .11.
Woodbine—8,000 at .01¾; 2,000 at .02.

AFTERNOON SALES

Oils

Illinois-Alberta—400 at .28.
Mercury Oil—700 at .39; 700 at .40.
McDougall Ex.—3,000 at .30.
McLeod Oil—350 at 2.20; 200 at 2.21; 100 at 2.22; 100 at 2.23.
Midwest—200 at .25.
Mill City—300 at .65.
McDougall, new—1,000 at .75.
Okalta, new—100 at .90; 100 at .95; 30 at 1.05.
Regent Oil—200 at .29.
Royalite—267 at 25.00; 2 at 26.50; 5 at 29.00; 10 at 30.00.
Southwest Pete—500 at .62.
Sterling Pacific—100 at .29; 600 at .30.
Turner Valley—100 at .40.
United Oil—100 at .68; 1,300 at .70.
A.P.C.—200 at 1.82; 300 at 1.83, 700 at 1.84, 1,040 at 1.85, 800 at 1.86, 100 at 1.89; 100 at 1.90.
Associated Oil—100 at 1.02; 100 at 1.03.
Baltac Oils—400 at .52; 300 at .53.
Calmont Oil—600 at 1.13; 1,400 at 1.14; 750 at 1.15; 50 at 1.16.
C. & E. Corporation—200 at 1.93; 2,950 at 1.95, 100 at 1.52; 400 at 1.60; 200 at 1.95.
Dalhousie—725 at 1.40; 500 at 1.42; 130 at 1.45.
Eastcrest—550 at .59; 1,000 at .52.
Fabran Pete.—450 at .06½; 1,500 at .06.
Freehold Oil—500 at .44; 4,150 at .45.
Harzal Oil—540 at 1.08; 300 at 1.06.
Home Oil—40 at 7.75; 200 at 7.80; 100 at 7.90; 150 at 7.95; 245 at 8.00; 40 at 2.20; 700 at 8.10; 100 at 2.25; 900 at 2.30; 10 at 8.95.

Mines

George Enterprise—500 at .09.
George Copper—1,002 at .28.
Morton Woolsey—100 at .07.
Noble Five—100 at .17.
Oregon Copper—3,000 at .09.
Pend Oreille—100 at 2.90; 100 at 3.00.
Premier Gold—1,000 at 1.40.
Porter Idaho—1,000 at .19.
Reeves McDonald—200 at .59, 100 at .59.
Silverado—40 at .15.
Snowflake—4.5▱ 91 .10¼.
Topley-Richfield—500 at .04.
Sherritt-Gordon—100 at 3.50.

FOREIGN BONDS

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Argentine 5's, 1957	99⅝	37⅛
Argentine 6's, 1959	97⅛	97⅝
Austrian 7's, 1943	103⅝	104⅛
Belgian 6's, 1955	102¼	102⅝
Belgian 7's, 1945	111	111½
Belgian 7's, 1955	107½	108
Bogota 8's, 1945	93¾	94¼
Brazil 8's, 1957	76¾	77⅛
Bordeaux 8's, 1934	102⅝	103⅛
Chile 5's, 1960	89	89½
Chile 7's, 1942	101¼	101⅝
Chile 8's, 1957	98¼	98⅝
Denmark 5½'s, 1955	100	100½
French 7's, 1949	114⅝	114⅞
French 7½'s, 1941	130⅝	130⅞
Fr. 5's	102	102½
Hungary 7¼'s, 1945	93½	93⅝
Italy 7's, 1951	98⅝	99⅛
PU 7's, 1957	95¼	96⅛
Jap 6½'s, 1954	103⅛	103⅝
Lyons 6's, 1934	101⅝	102⅛
MSB 5's, 1934	102⅝	103⅛
Nord 5½'s, 1950	104	104½
New York 6's, 1944	109¼	109½
Seine 7's, 1942	107⅝	107⅞
SBS 8's, 1936	102⅝	103⅛
Uruguay 8's, 1946	100⅝	100⅞

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 24. — Standard copper spot, £69 12s 6d; futures, £68 15s; electrolytic spot, £83 10s; futures, £84 5s.

Tin spot, £171 5s; futures, £174 2s 6d.

Lead spot, £21; futures, £20 17s 6d.

Zinc spot, £19; futures, £19 7s 6d.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Copper, quiet; electrolytic spot and future, 18c.

Iron, quiet; No. 2 f.o.b. Eastern Pennsylvania, 18.50@20.00; Buffalo, 16.50@17.00; Alabama, 13.00@15.00.

Tin, easy; spot and nearby, 37.37; futures, 38.62.

Lead, quiet; spot New York, 6.25; East St. Louis, 6.10.

Zinc, easy; East St. Louis spot and futures, 5.15.

Antimony, 9.25.

Quicksilver, 124.

You may have observed that the wrong number is never busy.

Imperial Oil Company

Capitalization: Common stock, no par value, 26,421,763 shares outstanding. No funded debt.

The largest oil company in Canada. Operates six refineries and has service stations in all cities and towns from Coast to Coast.

Financial Structure: Balance sheet, December 31, 1928, shows surplus and reserves amounting to $143,696,160. Over 50% of the common stock is held by the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey.

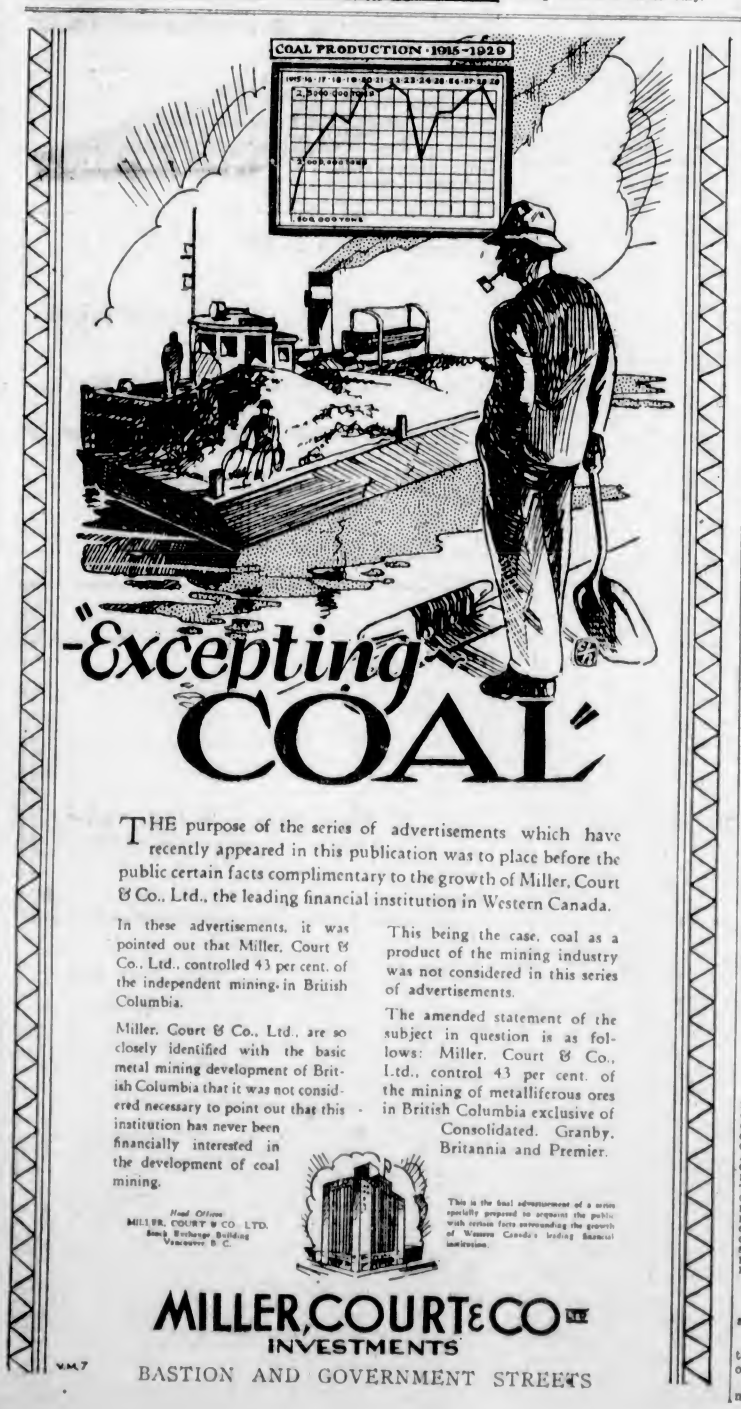
Price: About 23⅛. Dividend, including extras, $1.00. To yield over 4%.

Correspondents: E. A. Pierce & Co., New York; Greenshields & Co., Montreal; Jas. Richardson & Sons, Winnipeg

R. P. Clark & Co. (Victoria) LTD.

Arcade Building, 617 View Street

H. W. J. Paterson, Manager



"Excepting COAL"

THE purpose of the series of advertisements which have recently appeared in this publication was to place before the public certain facts complimentary to the growth of Miller, Court & Co., Ltd., the leading financial institution in Western Canada.

In these advertisements, it was pointed out that Miller, Court & Co., Ltd., controlled 43 per cent. of the independent mining in British Columbia.

Miller, Court & Co., Ltd., are so closely identified with the basic metal mining development of British Columbia that it was not considered necessary to point out that this institution has never been financially interested in the development of coal mining.

This being the case, coal as a product of the mining industry was not considered in this series of advertisements.

The amended statement of the subject in question is as follows: Miller, Court & Co., Ltd., control 43 per cent. of the mining of metalliferous ores in British Columbia exclusive of Consolidated, Granby, Britannia and Premier.

This is the final advertisement of a series specially prepared to acquaint the public with certain facts surrounding the growth of Western Canada's leading financial institution.

Head Offices
MILLER, COURT & CO., LTD.
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Vancouver, B.C.

MILLER, COURT & CO. LTD.
INVESTMENTS
BASTION AND GOVERNMENT STREETS

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Wholesale Row

Meats	
No. 1 Steer Beef	.31
Cow Beef	.19
Veal	.19@.33
Hogs	.32
Shoulders	.32
Loins	.32
Legs	.32
Breakers, lb.	.26
New Zealand lamb, lb.	.30
Lamb, lb.	.29
Tongues, lb.	.28@.30
Poultry	
Fresh Fowls	.30@.32
Chicken, lb.	.37@.39
Turkeys, lb.	.32@.39
Frozen Fowl, lb.	.30
Fish	
Haddies, lb.	.10
Fillets, G.R.	.19
Fillets, Jumbo	.26
Scotch cured	.22
Sunrise Fillets	.17
Eastern Kippers, 50s	2.75
Smoked Meats	
Bacon, lb.	.28@.43
Backs, lb.	.43
Hams, lb.	.30@.33
Eggs	
Fresh Extras, case lots, dozen	.43
Fresh Firsts, case lots, dozen	.41
Fresh Pullets, case lots, dozen	.39
Butter	
Salt Spring	.40
New Zealand Solids, Finest	.39½
New Zealand Solids, First Grade	.38
New Zealand, finest prints, lb.	.39
Cheese	
Ontario—	
September	.35½@.36
June, 1929	.39
June, 1928	.39
New Zealand	.32
Fruits	
Navel Oranges, box	3.50@5.75
Grapefruit, Arizona, 100s	5.75
Grapefruit, Texas	8.00@9.00
Grapefruit, Florida	3.50@10.00
Grapefruit, Imperial	6.00
Mediterranean Sweets	3.50@5.25
Pears, Anjou, box	3.25@3.50
Pears, cooking	1.25@2.25
Lemons, box	2.00@9.00
Bananas, lb.	9.10
Baskets	.45
Cocoanuts, dozen	1.40@1.75
Emperor Grapes	3.00@4.00
Apples—	
Delicious	2.75@3.25
Newtowns	3.10 2.80 3.00@3.25
Local Apples	1.75
McIntosh Reds	2.75
Winesaps	3.25 3.00@3.25
Spitzenbergs	3.10@9.00
Salome	1.95
Cano	1.85
Aiken Red	1.80
Vegetables	
Imported Lettuce	3.50@3.75
Celery, per dozen	1.80@2.40
Celery, per case	2.75@3.25
Cabbage, lb.	.06½@.07½
Cauliflower, crate	2.00@2.25
Artichokes, doz.	3.25
California Green Peas, lb.	.22
Beets, sack	2.00
Turnips, sack	2.75
Carrots, sack	1.60
Parsnips, sack	2.75
Radishes, Cal.	.25
Carrots, Cal.	1.10
California Parsley	.25
Sprouts	.22
Rhubarb, hothouse	.15
Potatoes, 100 lbs.—	
Ashcroft, sack	2.50
Local, sack	2.75
Mainland, sack	3.25
Yakima Netted Gems, sack	2.50
Sweet Potatoes, box	4.00

"Before accepting you, I ought to tell you one of my parents is in prison."

"Oh, that's all right. Both of mine ought to be."

Tape Topics

Every time pressure, either selling or buying, was put on the New York market yesterday sales dried up immediately, professionals being very busy on both sides of the fence. The total sales only mounted to 2,314,900 shares, and all the averages were off, industrials being off 3.34, rails 1.14, and utilities 1.41. The banks called $35,000,000 from the brokers' loans, and money was scarcer, rising from 4 to 4 1-2 per cent.

Weakness in steel and cotton, both of which made new lows on all American markets yesterday, was easily the best barometer of the market at New York. This continued weakness is still a major influence in the market's dullness and is attributed to the fall in commodity prices. In the motors Auburn was the only one to show any real strength, opening at 218 1-2, selling off to 215 1-4 and then rising at the close to 222. In the rails, Canadian Pacific Railway sold off from 210 1-4 to 208 1-2.

In the local oils and mines no buying power was shown, the market having a reactionary trend, with attention centred, in both cases, on a few leaders, the others being practically neglected. In the oils, new lows were sustained by A.P.C., Baltac, C. & E., Dalhousie, Fabyan, Home, Mercury, Mill City, Okalta, Royalite, United and Vanalta. The chief mediums of speculation were Calmont, C. & E., A.P.C., and Home.

Calmont had a first sale at $1.25, touched a low of $1.13, a high of $1.30, sold last at $1.25 and closed at $1.13-$1.14. C. & E., which opened at $1.74, which was the high, made a last sale at $1.50 and closed at $1.56-1.58. A.P.C. had a first sale at $1.87, touched $1.70, made a low of $1.52, sold last at $1.55 and closed at $1.52-$1.53. Home sold steadily off, the difference between the first sale and the last being 98c. The stock had a first sale at $8.77, a last at $7.75 and closed at $7.65-$8.

The new lows for the year were: Baltac at 52c, Dalhousie at $1.40, Fabyan at 5 1-2c, Mercury at 39c, Mill City at 65c, Okalta at 90c, Royalite at $35, United at 70c and Vanalta at 94c. In the mines Reeves McDonald opened at 70c and closed at 67-70c, Noble Five opened at 19c and closed at 16c-18c, and Snowflake opened at 10 1-2c and closed at 10¼c-11c, all on small transactions.

Freehold No. 2 struck the lime at 4,200 feet on Saturday and ten-inch casing is being cemeted ten feet in the lime, states Mr. A. J. McWilliams, managing director of the company. It was reported yesterday in a wire from Calgary. The stock sold 1,800 shares here at 45c, the closing price being 42c-46c. On the Calgary exchange continued selling pressure in stock caused market weakness, but Royalite, it was stated, firmed under buying. No afternoon session will be held at Calgary today.

At Toronto the chief traders were Amulet, Sudbury Basin, Sherrit-Gordon, International Nickel and Howey. Amulet at $1.38, Howey at 88c, Falconbridge at $4.20, and Sudbury Basin at $2.90 all made new lows. The latter stock had a first sale at $3.15, a last at $2.94 and closed at $2.90-$2.95. Amulet sold first at $1.44, last at $1.39 and closed at $1.37-$1.39. Sherritt-Gordon had a first sale at $2.65, a last at $2.50 and closed at $2.50-$2.55. International Nickel sold first at $37.50, last at $37.75 and closed at $37.60-$37.75. Howey had a first sale at 90c, a last at 88c and closed at 89c-90c.

Fair Rally Coming Today Says Whitney

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Whitney of Wall Street in his review says:

While the market worked lower today and will undoubtedly be subjected to some further selling in the early part of tomorrow, I believe that, all things considered, it should be looked upon as a very creditable performance, considering the violent declines which took place in a number of commodity markets. The stock market is slowly building up an immunity to further weakness in commodities, which augurs well for a period of renewed irregularity and not any break during such time as commodities require to seek a level where natural conditions will sustain them. Following this period as pointed out yesterday, the resumption of the forward move in the market will not be hampered by the unsettling effect of weakness in commodities, which, after all, is a corollary to such a period of stock market deflation as we emerged from some ninety days ago.

The moderate advance in call money was due quite largely to the extension of loans made by banks over the holiday, plus a natural tightening as preparations are made for month-end disbursements. So far as the money market is concerned, these daily changes mean nothing, as the trend is still distinctly downward. The stock market has again entered a period when fluctuations represent little other than the activity of professional interests. The short interest has grown substantially in the past four sessions, so that, without looking for anything other than irregularity, I believe that after some selling at the opening we will again have what looks like a very satisfactory market in the form of a sharp Tuesday rally.

The utilities have still to record their best prices, even of this current phase of advance, with Consolidated Gas, Western Union, Public Service and American Waterworks promise new tops for the year as quickly as the general market tone permits. United States Steel has had its dip below 180, and, allowing a point or so more tomorrow, I look for it to again turn upward. The New York tractions should be purchased during this period of irregularity, particularly Brooklyn, Manhattan Transit and Interborough. I believe we can take the same position on the securities of the survivors in the Radio industry that we took with reference to the motion picture stocks approximately two months ago, all of which are now selling many points above the prices at which they were recommended for purchase. Definite and substantial improvement has already been recorded in this industry, particularly by the tube manufacturers and parts manufacturers, which will be followed by definite improvement in the affairs of the set manufacturers.

Calgary Oil Stocks

(H. E. Hunnings & Co., Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close
Alta. Pac. Cons.	1.70	1.60	1.60
Calmont	1.28	1.15	1.15
C. & E. Corp.	1.75	1.75	1.75
Dalhousie	1.50	1.49	1.49
Freehold	46	46	46
Herzal	1.10	1.10	1.10
Illinois-Alberta	.28	.25	.28
Madison	.10	.10	.10
Mayland	1.00	1.00	1.00
McDoug. Segur. Exp.	.24	.24	.24
McLeod	2.20	2.20	2.20
Mercury	.42	.42	.42
Okalta, new	1.04	1.04	1.04
Royalite	35.00	32.00	35.00
Signal Hill	.14	.14	.14
Spooner	.60	.60	.60
United Oils	.75	.75	.75
		Bid	Asked
Associated Oil		.90	...
Eastcrest		.55	.65
Home Oil		8.50	...
Homestead		.50	.58
McDougall Segur. new		.75	...
Richfield		.22	.25
Turner Valley		...	.40
Vulcan		.31	...

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Raw sugar was unchanged today as far as duty frees were concerned, but Cuban was reduced 1-16 cents by the committee which is now asking 2c cost and freight for March shipment to United States buyers or 3.77 delivered.

Refined was unchanged at 4.95 for fine granulated, with a moderate inquiry reported.

TO REPRESENT AGENCY

Ray Meldram and Stafford Meldram, of the McRae-Meldram Motors Limited, local dealers for Pontiac cars, will represent their firm at the British Columbia Dealers' Convention in Vancouver today. The local agency ranks very high in the sale of Pontiac cars in the province during 1929.

Young wives are advised not to send their pastry to the Cookery Exhibition, but to wait until next month when the Hardware Convention will be held.

Toronto Mines

(H. E. Hunnings & Co., Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close
Abana	1.13	1.17	1.17
Aconda	.08	.08	.08
Amity	11¼	11¼	11¼
Amulet	1.50	1.43	1.43
Arno	.17	.17	.17
Barry Hollinger	.17	.17	.17
Base Metal	2.75	2.75	2.75
Bie Missouri	.60	.58	.60
Central Manitoba	.12	.19	.12
Chemical Research	8.75	8.75	2.75
Dome	7.90	7.80	7.80
Falconbridge	4.25	4.20	4.20
Granada	.11	.11	.11
Grandview	13¼	13¼	13¼
Hollinger	8.75	8.50	8.75
Howey	.92	.89	.89
Hudson Bay	12.45	12.40	12.45
Inter. Nickel	38.00	37.50	37.50
Kirkland Lake	.79	.76	.78
Mandy	.30	.30	.30
Manitoba Basin	.09	.09	.09
Mining Corp.	3.05	3.00	3.00
Newbec	.19	.19	.19
Norvanda	39.00	39.00	39.10
Pend Oreille	9.00	2.80	2.90
Peterson Cobalt	.14½	.14½	.14½
Premier	1.43	1.43	1.43
San Antonio	.35	.31	.31
Sherritt Gordon	2.80	2.60	2.61
Siscoe	.41	.41	.41
Stadacona	.03½	.03½	.03½
Sudbury Basin	3.10	3.00	3.10
Teck Hughes	9.30	9.10	9.15
Ventures	1.70	1.65	1.70
Vipond	.88	.88	.90
Wright Hargreaves	1.95	1.91	1.93
	OILS		
Ajax	1.00	.95	1.00
Associated	1.07	1.05	1.06
A.P. Cons.	1.70	1.69	1.69
Baltac	.60	.54	.55
C. & E. Corp.	1.75	1.70	1.70
Calmont	1.30	1.12	1.30
Dalhousie	1.50	1.50	1.50
Home Oil	9.65	9.55	9.55
Imperial	23.75	29.00	23.10
Southwest Pete.	.67	.67	.67
Wainwell	.07	.07	.07

MONEY MARKET

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Money, 3 5-8 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 3 7-8 per cent; three months, 3 11-16@3 3-4 per cent.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Call money, firmer; high, 4 1-2; low, 4; ruling rate, 4; closing, 4 1-2.

Time loans, firmer; thirty days, 4 1-2@4 3-4; sixty days, 4 1-2@4 3-4; three-four-six months, 4 3-4@5.

Prime commercial paper, 4 1-2.

Bankers' acceptances, steady; thirty days, 3 7-8@3 3-4; sixty-ninety days, 3 7-8@3 3-4; four months, 3 7-8@3 3-4; five-six months, 4@3 7-8.

An inspector was examining a class of boys in science, and receiving few answers to his questions. He asked one in a rather facetious manner, which drew an aside from a boy in the back row: "Silly ass!"

The inspector, seeing the boy's lips move, called to him encouragingly, "Speak up, my boy; you may be right."

CALMONT NO. 1 TO RESUME DRILLING

A.P. Consolidated No. 1 Still Repairing Casing—Freehold No. 2 in Lime

(Miller, Court & Co., Ltd.)

Calmont No. 1—Plans to resume drilling today after setting second whipstock at 5,150 feet to prevent entering old hole. They are about 300 feet from lime. No. 2 has set casing at top of lime and will wait for about a week for cement to harden. Meanwhile plans to clean cellar and instal Sheldon Burden oil circulating drill rig. The well is at 4,820 feet. No. 7 drilling more than 3,400 feet. No. 10 has drilled past the 1,100-foot level.

Warner No. 3 is showing signs of changing formation and an analysis is being taken. The well is reported at 2,270 feet and has been in Kootenay formation. This operation is testing the Southern Highwood areas.

Anaconda was erroneously reported on Saturday at 2,700 feet instead of 2,400 feet.

A.P. Con No. 1 is still repairing casing. No. 2 has pierced the cement plug at top of lime and will now install Sheldon Burden oil circulating rig with which to proceed through the lime.

Model is due to start drilling today from the top of lime. Cement will have to be penetrated before a new hole is made. The well is continuing to completion with cable tools and a control is to be installed later. It hit the lime at 5,800 feet.

Wellington plans to resume drilling a short distance in lime today at 4,670 feet. The gas flow encountered at the top of the lime is still continuing.

Okalta Oils, which recently acquired an eighty-acre lease south of Hannah-Porter-Cosmos, in Red Coulee, will wait for the outcome of operations at Hannah-Porter before deciding on development. Hannah-Porter-Cosmos is thought to be a few feet from Vanalta sands, discovery horizon of the field.

McDougall Segur No. 3 is running six-inch casing at 4,400 feet. No. 4 was last reported drilling at 3,800 feet, estimated fifty feet from the lime.

Freehold No. 2 struck the lime at 4,120 feet on Saturday. Ten-inch casing is being cemented ten feet in the lime, states A. J. McWilliams, managing director of the company.

"PERMANENT PARTNERS OF THE CONTINENT"

In Ringing Declaration President Macaulay Describes This as Effect of Sun Life Company's Investment Policy.

Its Wisdom Vindicated in Wonderful Report for Past Year.

MONTREAL, Feb. 24.—A most lucid explanation of how little the fluctuations of Wall Street affect companies which buy securities, not for re-sale, but for investment, was given by President T. B. Macaulay at the annual meeting of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada. He reduced to the plainest terms what is obscure to many, when he compared the Stock Exchange to an auction room where prices fluctuate according to the mental condition or the bank balance of the bidders, and not according to the intrinsic value of the articles on sale. Mr. Macaulay expressed comparative indifference to these things, his company being concerned primarily and chiefly with the continuance or increase of dividends on the sound securities held by his company.

Impressive Vindication of Investment Policy

And judged by that test, the head of the Sun Life Company surely had remarkable vindication of his investment policy in the report he submitted to a crowded meeting of enthusiastic policyholders. Not only was he able to report new assurances for the year of over $650,000,000—which carries his company well on to the three billion mark of assurances in force—he was able to show profit earnings which have risen close to $43,000,000. And, as though in mockery of the gyrations of the Stock Market, the dividends actually being paid on Sun Life stocks are $3,374,000 in excess of those payable on these shares when purchased, while the rights and stock privileges have been worth about $17,000,000.

Great National Future Shared by Company

"Through our large stock holdings," he said, "we have become permanent partners in the great utility and other corporations which furnish such essential service that they may almost be said to be part of our national life.

"We believe in the future of our entire nations—both Canada and the United States. What will they be fifty years from now? Does anyone doubt their future?

"We have hitched our investment policy to the star of this Continent," Mr. Macaulay declared amid loud applause, "and, in particular, to our great cities, and, just as surely as they continue to grow and prosper, so surely will our investments grow and prosper."

The President's Speech

Mr. Macaulay spoke as follows:

"It is with very special pleasure that I move the adoption of this fifty-ninth annual report of the Company. We have grown accustomed to great and increasing prosperity, but the achievements of the past year surpass all previous records in even our history.

"The New Assurances paid for reached the huge total of $654,000,000. Even more impressive, however, is the fact that this is an increase of more than forty-eight per cent over last year.

"The Assurances in force now exceed $2,400,000,000, an increase of over half a billion. But a few years ago we rejoiced at reaching the one billion mark; we now have passed the second billion and are well on towards the third billion.

"The Income has reached $172,000,000, and the Assets are now $568,000,000.

"More important still, the profit earnings of the year have risen to nearly $43,000,000. We have as usual applied a considerable proportion of these earnings to further strengthening the position of the Company.

"Another $10,000,000 has been deducted from the market values shown in the report, raising that item to $30,000,000; $1,000,000 has been written off the Company's buildings, while over $2,000,000 has been added to our various special reserves.

"The sum of $22,600,000 has been distributed as profits to our policyholders, and in addition to all this nearly $6,000,000 has been added to the undistributed surplus, now more than $60,000,000.

"This wonderful showing is, as always, based on a valuation of our securities enormously below the market quotations actually existing at the close of the year, so that the real strength of the Company is only partially disclosed.

Stock Exchange a Mere Auction Mart

"That such results should be achieved in the face of the Stock Exchange panic, of which we have heard so much, may at first appear strange. It is, however, not so surprising, for we are apt to over-estimate the importance of that crisis, serious though it was. What is the Stock Exchange? It is merely a place where public auctions are held. It differs from other auctions only in the articles sold, and in the volume of the transactions. It is no more true of this auction than of other auctions that the prices bid are an infallible index of the real value of the articles dealt in. The quotations fluctuate with the optimism or the pessimism of the bidders. They are frequently much better evidence as to the bank accounts and credit of the bidders than of the value of the stocks bought and sold.

Business as Usual

"That was exactly the situation during the recent price reaction. It was purely a Stock Exchange panic. It was not caused by any trouble in general business. We did not see the closing down of factories, wholesale discharges of employees, and other symptoms of business distress such as marked the great depressions to which our minds revert. Outside the ranks of the unfortunate speculators there was little to show that anything unusual was happening in the Wall Street auction rooms. On the wildest days of the reaction the business of the country went on as usual. Men continued to work, children continued to be born, the population continued to grow, the great electric companies continued to increase their output, enlarging their power houses or building new ones. The great corporations whose stocks we own continued to expand, continued to prosper and to earn even larger dividends, just as if there were no dealings in their shares at all. What happened was merely that last June, in a wild burst of enthusiasm, speculators bid up prices beyond normal levels, and this in turn produced a wave of selling which began as profit-taking, but ended in a panic which carried prices as much below normal levels as they had previously been forced above them. The prices of November last, of course, showed a great drop from the quotations of mid-September, but in reality that great reaction did little more than remove the temporary bulge caused by the over-enthusiastic bidding of the previous months of the year. The actual intrinsic value of the shares was, of course, not affected by the fact that the speculators had exhausted their bank accounts and had had to lower their bids.

Dividends on Securities Greatly Increased

"The investor who buys for permanent holding is but little concerned as to the prices which may be bid for his stocks by those who frequent the Exchanges. What interests him is to know that his dividend will not only be paid regularly, but will gradually increase with the passing years. I will apply this test to our own holdings. At the present time the dividends actually being paid on our stocks are $3,374,000 in excess of the dividends payable on those same shares when we purchased them. This is equal to one and a quarter per cent per annum on the book value of all our holdings. We have also received rights and stock privileges worth about $17,000,000. And the end is not yet. Even since the slump began on, say, October first, the dividends payable on our stocks have increased about $1,500,000 and we have received rights with a value even in these markets of $1,100,000.

No Losses by Permanent Investors

"To imagine that loss was caused to any except those carrying shares on margin because market prices in 1929 marched up a hill and then marched down again, is to remind me how an old friend told me mournfully some years ago that we had lost over a million dollars during the preceding twelve months. When I replied sympathetically, he added with equal mournfulness: 'Yes, I have lost over a million by not buying stocks a year ago when they were low.' The losses supposed to have been suffered by permanent investors, such as the Sun Life, are like those of my jocular friend—they are not losses at all, but merely profits which we might have made had we known just when the peak was, and had altered our practice so as to sell out at that time.

Following the Continent's "Star"

"When investing our funds, we look always to the distant future—ten, twenty, thirty years hence. Through our large stockholdings we have become permanent partners in the great utility and other corporations which furnish such essential service that they may almost be said to be part of the national life. We believe in the future of Montreal, of New York, of Chicago, and of all our great centres of population. We believe even more in the future of our entire nations—both Canada and the United States. What will they be fifty years from now? Does anyone doubt their future? We have hitched our investment policy to the star of this continent, and in particular to our great cities, and just as surely as they continue to grow and prosper, so surely will our investments grow and prosper. What need we care for the moods or pocketbooks of in-and-out speculators? Why should we reverse our policy and throw our great holdings on the market for some possible temporary gain? Could we be sure that we would ever get our shares back? We prefer to continue as permanent partners.

Sun Impregnable on Blackest Day

"We must, of course, consider market quotations when preparing our annual report, but our policy is so to undervalue our holdings that there can be a tremendous drop in prices without even reaching the figures at which our securities are carried in our accounts. Last year we announced that we had a margin of $100,000,000 to provide for just such a possible market crisis as we have experienced. We expected a reaction, but I confess that we did not expect one of such severity. Our assets have now been tested by one of the worst financial reactions in history, and you will be interested to know that the provision made by us for such a contingency proved more than ample, for even on the blackest of the black days we still had about $35,000,000 of the amount intact as a margin of excess valuation still remaining to protect our surplus. I am now able to say that even after distributing the large profits which we have announced, after making the further reserves to strengthen our position, and after adding $6,000,000 to our declared surplus, we have today the entire margin of $100,000,000 again intact. The blow has fallen, the slump has come, the values are marked down and we are in a stronger position than ever before in our history.

"This practice of undervaluing our securities is now a permanent feature of our investment policy. I look forward to the time in the not distant future when we will have an undisclosed margin so huge that even the present large figure will appear comparatively small. It is our ambition that the values placed on our securities will always be buttressed by safeguards so great that market fluctuations will affect us no more than the winds that whistle around our building.

Securities Compared

"I would not have you suppose that I am blind to the merits also of well selected bonds and mortgages as investments. There is much to be said for them. Their values, nominally at least, do not fluctuate greatly. They are particularly attractive at times when stock quotations appear unduly high, as in the latter part of last year. But while they offer greater resistance to price reactions, they have no power of growth. Personally I prefer securities that live and advance and keep pace with national growth and development—securities with a future, rather than securities which, even if protected against deterioration (not always successfully) by gold caskets, can, at best, only remain stationary and unchanging by the side of the road while the army of progress marches past. There is a happy medium. I think that our Company should always have a large amount invested in choice bonds, but I also think that in the best interests of our policyholders a considerable proportion of our assets should always be invested in high grade progressive common stocks.

A Future That Defies Prophecy

"It is a wonderful report that we present, but I always think of the present as a mere vantage ground from which to get an ever further vision into the future which must be planned for. What is our future to be? The realities of the present are far in advance of anything that we even imagined possible but a few years ago, and the outlook now is brighter than ever. I hardly dare to make a prophecy. If any of you care to calculate what our position will be if we can maintain anything like our present rate of progress for even the next few years, the results will surprise you. We already occupy a remarkable position. We have a character and an individuality all our own. We have an enthusiastic army of policyholders, and we enjoy the confidence of the public in a very unusual degree. We can, I think, look forward to a future so glorious that even the achievements of the present will then seem small. And let us never forget that every extension of our business is an extension of service and blessing to humanity."

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1 BIRTHS

BALL—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on February 22, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. L. Ball, 1232 Oxford Street, a son.

LINEHAM—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on February 22, 1930, to Mr and Mrs H. Lineham, Fairfield Hotel, a daughter.

BONE—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on February 23, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Bone, Savoy Mansions, a daughter.

BAYNE—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on February 23, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs R. Dayne Hampshire Road, a daughter.

HOGLO—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on February 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Hoglo, 407 Wilson Street, a son.

TIHAL SINGH—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on February 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Tihal Singh, 614 Princess Avenue, a son.

HENN—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on February 24, to Mr and Mrs S. V Henn, Lansford, V.I., a daughter.

HINE—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on February 24, to Mr and Mrs A. E. Hine, Glyn P.O., Esquimalt, a daughter.

2 DEATHS

MURISET—There passed away at the family residence, 426 Menzies Street, on February 22, Rose Muriset, widow of the late Charles Muriset, aged seventy-nine years; born in Switzerland, and residing in Victoria for the past forty years. She leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Miss Alice Muriset, of Victoria, and one son, Frederick Muriset, of Palo Alto, California.

The remains are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

LAMBETH—At the family residence, 921 Lodge Avenue, Saanich, on February 23, Margarete Lambeth, beloved wife of William Lambeth, aged sixty-six years; born in Perth, Ontario, and residing in this city for the past sixty-years. She leaves to mourn her loss, besides her husband, two daughters, Mrs H. Sayers, Vancouver, B.C., and Mrs D. Planter, of Everett, Wash.; three sons, Earnell W. Lambeth, of Seattle, Robert A. Lambeth, of Seattle, Wash., and Fred K. Lambeth, of Port Alberni, B.C.

The funeral will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Interment will take place in Ross Bay Cemetery.

CARMICHAEL—There passed away Friday evening, February 21, in this city, Alexander Campbell Carmichael. Born in Woodville, Ontario, the late Mr Carmichael came to this city eight years ago from Edmonton, Alberta. He was sixty years of age and is survived by his widow, of this city, and one sister, Mrs Muir, Whitby, Ontario.

Funeral service will be held this afternoon, February 25, at 2:30 o'clock, from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, corner Quadra and Broughton Streets. Rev. James Hood will officiate and interment will be made in the family plot, Royal Oak Burial Park.

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10 COMING EVENTS

ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY MEETING, Tuesday, February 26, 8 p.m., at Victoria College. Mr. W. E. Harper, of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, will address the society on "Progress in Astronomy During 1929." The public is cordially invited.

A PARTNER WHIST DRIVE TONIGHT (Tuesday), 8:30, 1220 Government St. Usual good prizes.

AN OLD-TIME DANCE WILL BE HELD in Hampton Hall by the Ladies' Lawn Bowling Club, Wednesday, February 26, 8 to 1. Admission 50c.

ALL FORESTERS AND FRIENDS ARE cordially invited to a partner whist game after regular meeting, Wednesday, February 26, 9 o'clock, A.O.F. Hall.

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BRAND NEW
STUCCO BUNGALOW
5 ROOMS, INCLUDING ALL MODERN 5 CONVENIENCES. HARDWOOD FLOORS, FURNACE, GARAGE, CEMENT BASEMENT. WELL SITUATED, FACING SOUTH. CLOSE TO SCHOOLS, CAR AND BUS.
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BARN, cost ..... $ 800
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Total $9,700

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TERMS .....
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Vancouver Island News

ROD AND GUN CLUB MEETS

TRAP SHOOTING PROMISES TO BE ATTRACTIVE FEATURE THIS YEAR

Officers Chosen for Ensuing Year, With Mr. H. Maynard as Honorary President

The annual general meeting of the Cumberland Rod and Gun Club, held in the Cumberland Hall on Saturday, was attended by 200 members, the utmost enthusiasm prevailing all through the meeting. The report of the secretary showed that a substantial balance from last season's activities was in the treasury and the new trap-shooting equipment of the club in first class condition. The grounds at the trap-shooting base have been considerably improved and this branch of the club's activities is expected to draw more members during the coming Summer than was the case last Summer. Before proceeding with the election of officers the secretary, Mr. J. L. Brown, was voted the sum of $20 as remuneration for his excellent services.

In the election of officers, Mr. Harry Maynard, of Victoria, was the unanimous choice for honorary president, and Mr. Thomas Graham and Dr. G. K. MacNaughton, M.P.P., honorary vice-presidents. Joe Horbury becomes the new vice-president and L. Frelone, vice-president; J. L. Brown, secretary; R. Coe, treasurer. The executive will be Messrs. W. Herd, W. Mossey, H. Strachan, J. H. Cameron, F. Martin, John Bono, J. Hannay, all of Cumberland, with three to be chosen from the Courtenay members, and one from the Union Bay members.

Following the business meeting a smoker was held, terminating at midnight. A number of local artists added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening with well-rendered vocal and instrumental selections.

Course in Horticulture

COURTENAY, Feb. 24.—Application is being made to the provincial horticulturist at Victoria for a short course in tree pruning. The necessary number of intending pupils have now submitted their names for this short course in horticulture. The demonstrator sent by the Department of Agriculture will give practical demonstrations in the orchard, besides lectures in the Agricultural Hall, where examples of grafting and budding will be carried out. Any others intending to take advantage of this very interesting course should send in their names to the secretary of the Comox Agricultural Association here.

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Vancouver, B.C., February 19, 1930.

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J. M. CAMERON,
Manager.
Victoria, B.C., February 24, 1930.

GORDON HEAD MUTUAL IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY
All persons having claims against the above society are requested to mail the same to the undersigned on or before the 2nd day of March, 1930, with full particulars of their claims.
Tenders are also invited for the purchase of the society's land and buildings, situate on Tyndall Avenue, Gordon Head, the said land being known as Lot 6, according to registered plan 2362. Sealed tenders will be received at the address below up to the hour of twelve o'clock noon on March 3, 1930. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Dated this 21st day of February, 1930.
W. F. SOMERS,
R.M.D. No. 4, Victoria, B.C., Secretary, Gordon Head Mutual Improvement Society.

Bull Attacks Butcher and Injures Him

COURTENAY, Feb. 24.—While at Mr. Lawlor's farm inspecting beef cattle, at Comox, Mr. L. Clarkson, a butcher, was knocked down by a Holstein bull in the stall. The animal then trampled the unfortunate man, inflicting serious bruises to his face, and breaking a small bone in one of his legs. Mr. Clarkson was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital.

MANY ATTEND AT FUNERAL SERVICE

Mr. P. G. Twist's Services to Shawnigan District Are Appreciated in Neighborhood

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, Feb. 24.—The funeral of the late Mr. Pearson Gill Twist took place at St. John's Church on Friday afternoon, Rev. W. E. Cockshott officiating at the service. The casket, which was covered with beautiful flowers, was borne by Messrs. F. Elford, J. Finlay, S. J. Heald, N. Alexander, A. Morris and S. Finley. There was a large attendance of friends, testifying to the affection and esteem in which Mr. Twist was held.

The late Mr. Twist came from Prescott, Lancashire, England, in 1913. He was accompanied by his wife and family and for the first two years here they made their home at Cedar Creek cottage, then moving to the centre of the Shawnigan Lake settlement. During the war years, when the S.L.A.A. Hall was the scene of much activity, Mr. Twist acted as secretary and much of his work was done on a purely patriotic basis. As freight agent at the E. & N. depot for many years he proved himself a very useful and popular member of the community.

He was a keen fisherman, and up to a few years ago thought nothing of a walk to Mill Bay and back for a day's sport. Mr. Twist had been in failing health for the past year, but continued to take a great interest in public events up to the last and derived much enjoyment from books and good music from the radio.

After a short confinement to his room, he passed away peacefully on the afternoon of February 19, within two months of his eighty-third birthday. He is survived by his widow, two sons and two daughters, Mr. Hugh Twist, Mr. Geoffrey Twist and Mrs. A. Dyson, Shawnigan, and Mrs. P. Kirkness, Victoria. A daughter, Dorothy, died in England in 1918 while doing V.A.D. work.

QUALICUM CONCERT

Errington Glee Party and Dramatic Society Combine to Present Entertainment

QUALICUM BEACH, Feb. 24.—A successful and enjoyable concert was held in the Farmer's Institute Hall on Saturday night before a large attendance, when the Errington Dramatic Society and the Errington glee party gave its services in aid of the Women's Institute and the Errington piano fund. The musical programme was as follows: Pianoforte duet, Mrs. Butler and Mr. O. Morfey; song, "The Valley of Laughter," Mrs. Leffler; part songs, (a) "The Keel Row," (b) "Annie Laurie," the Glee Singers; songs (a) "Tommy Lad," (b) "My Old Dutch," Mr. E. Sanders; part song "Comrade's Song of Hope," the Glee Singers; song, "When the Tide Comes In," Mr. A. James.

Each item was well received and great praise is due to Mr. O. Morfey, under whose leadership the glee party achieved so much success in its recent concerts.

The Dramatic Society gave a most amusing farce entitled "The White Shawl," the characters being impersonated by Miss F. Nicklin, Mrs. A. Braddock, Mrs. A. Price and Messrs. C. West, B. Taylor and D. Crawford, who all acted the parts well and kept the audience in roars of laughter.

Bandit Attempts To Secure Cash At Chinese Cafe

PORT ALBERNI, Feb. 24.—Late Friday evening an attempted holdup of the Kit-Kat, a Chinese restaurant and boarding-house, took place. The bandit's object was, without doubt, to secure the money presumably used in a card game, but after striking one of the players over the head, such an uproar started that he took to his heels, and up to present has not been located.

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Nootka Indian Secures Large Timber Wolf

PORT ALBERNI, Feb. 24.—The skin of a large timber wolf, measuring six feet six inches, has just passed through the Government office. This was secured by an Indian not far from Nootka, where it is reported quite a number of wolves are running. There is a bounty of $15 for this animal.

Nanaimo Council Debates Affairs Of Routine Only

NANAIMO, Feb. 24.—Very little business was transacted at the regular weekly meeting of the City Council held this evening in the Council Chambers.

A letter was received from Mr. A. S. Towell, secretary of the local Gyro playground committee, asking the council to meet a delegation of Gyros in discussion re the present playground drive. It was moved by Alderman Drake and seconded by Alderman Green that the council meet the Gyros to discuss same.

A letter was received from P. C. Able, manager of the British Columbia League asking the council to send a delegate to a meeting which is to be held in the Vancouver Hotel, February 28. Mayor Hall was, on motion of Alderman Barsby, seconded by Alderman Green, delegated to attend the luncheon, provided His Worship found the way clear.

The public works superintendent reported an expenditure on streets for the past week of $146 and on waterworks, $240.46.

A report from the waterworks caretaker, Mr. Rawson, was received on the condition of the pipeline pump and bridges. In Mr. Rawson's report he stated that bridges one, two and three were in bad shape. The report was received and filed.

Winners at the Courtenay Native Sons' whist drive were: Ladies' first, Mrs. A. T. Kerr, Mrs. P. L. Anderton; consolation, Mr. Dixon; gentlemen, first, Mr. John McKenzie; second, Mr. G. A. Lundie; booby prize was secured by Mrs. R. H. Perrott.

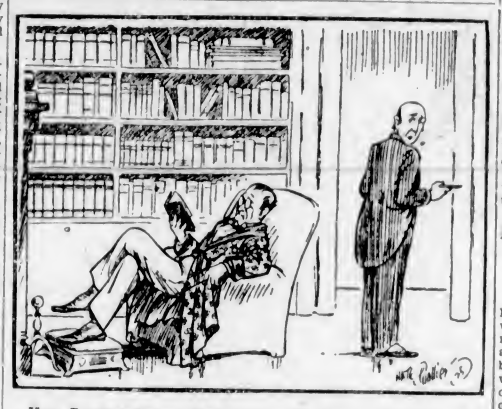
Inquest Adjourned

PORT ALBERNI, Feb. 24.—A coroner's inquest sat on Friday afternoon to inquire into the death of William Robinson, who was killed at the camp of the Estevan Logging Company on the West Coast. After hearing certain evidence the inquest was adjourned until February 28 in order that a witness who was working with Robinson at the time of his death, may be called.

Sooke Dinner Dance

The dinner dance held on Saturday evening at the Hotel Belvedere under the auspices of the Sooke Branch of the Canadian Legion of the B.E.S.L. proved a huge success. Many friends of the Legion who have supported the branch since its inception were among the company. About one hundred guests attended. A four-piece orchestra gave music for an excellent dance programme, and songs were given during the evening by Comrade Jockman of the Britannia Branch. The spacious rooms were decorated with code flags, bunting and Union Jacks, which made an effective setting for the many beautiful frocks worn, the tables being prettily decorated with daffodils and pussy willows. The winners of prizes were Mrs. Lysett, Messrs. G. Throup, Jones and Comrade Collins. During the evening Comrade P. W. de P. Taylor, president of the Branch, made a few remarks thanking the company for their attendance, and Messrs. Robillard for their co-operation in making the affair a success.

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Boggs—You did, sir.
—The Passing Show, London.

PROMISES TO SIFT INCIDENT FULLY

Attorney-General Endeavors to Find Out Why Distillers Changed Their Agency

The question of liquor had a rather prominent place in the proceeding of the Legislature yesterday. A motion on the order paper of the House in the name of Mr. Ian Mackenzie asked for the production of any correspondence between the Attorney-General of the province and any liquor dealer in Canada, England, Scotland or Ireland.

Strangely enough, the motion was not spoken to by the mover, the Attorney-General referring to the fact as the first occasion on which he had ever seen an opportunity to speak passed up by the member for North Vancouver.

The Attorney-General did not wait for the production of the correspondence, but immediately read the letter which evidently led to Mr. Mackenzie introducing his resolution.

Mr. Pooley alluded to an old liquor firm in this province which had carried on business for sixty years, being deprived of its agency in 1924. He ascribed the action to politics, and pointed out that the agency went to Mr. Hyatt, who had been instrumental in connection with dealings in liquor under the former Government, going to the Old Country on a mission.

A most extraordinary letter had been received by the firm, cutting off in a mysterious way the agency held by Mr. H. C. Janion for certain liquors. It was indicated that the agency was being given to another person, who had had no experience in the liquor business, but who had strong Liberal connections.

Mr. Pooley said that he felt that the situation was so strange that he wrote to the firm in the Old Country, that of Portal, Dingall & Company, calling attention to the knowledge of the change. Mr. Pooley said that he asked for reasons for the change.

A reply had come back that the alteration had been "made for purely business reasons."

The Attorney-General had replied, and intimated that any relation with the firm might be expected to be on purely business lines.

The letter was read from the firm of Portal, Dingwall & Company, and referred with respect to the regret at making the change, but that owing to circumstances, over which the firm had no control, the change took place.

Mr. Pooley declared that he proposed to go to the bottom of the matter. The people of the province wished to know why they were paying too much for their liquor. He was obliged to Mr. Mackenzie for bringing this matter up.

REFUSED TO INTERVENE

Mr. A. M. Manson said that during the years that he was Attorney-General he had never interefered directly nor indirectly with the handling of distillers' business." He said that persons had come to him at times on this subject, and he had, perhaps, been discourteous on occasions in telling them that he would have nothing to do with this matter.

If any political weapon was used, it was without the sanction of the Government, and with his own disapprobation.

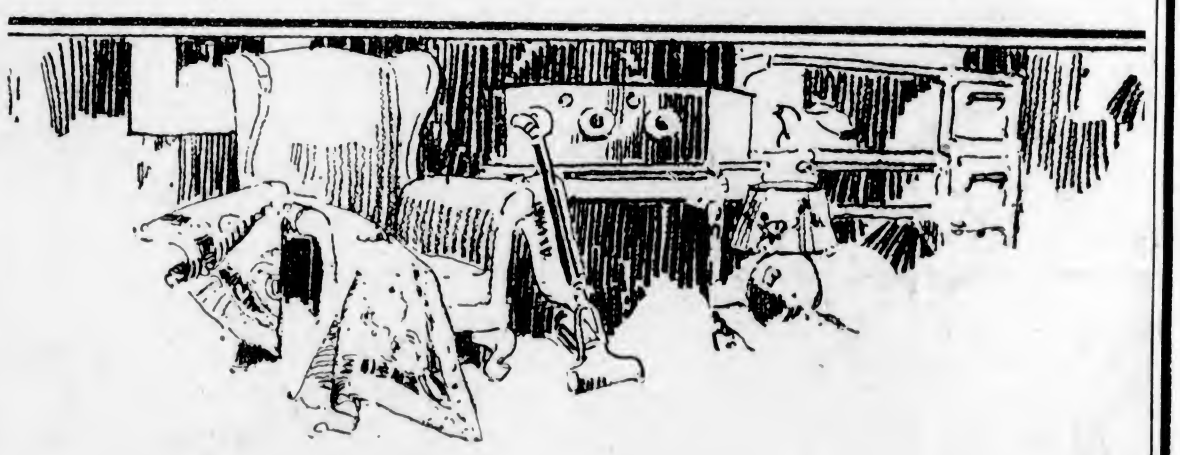
The old Government, said Mr. Manson, never paid a higher price for liquor than any other province except once when Nova Scotia received a brand cheaper. When this was called to his attention he had threatened to cut off the business of that distiller unless a satisfactory explanation was forthcoming. The former Government, he said, had sought to deal with the old established dealers, and the elimination of others. He took exception to the Attorney-General writing to distillers. He had nothing to do with the purchasing of liquor.

Mare Gives Life In Vain for Colt

(Canadian Press)

LUCKY LAKE, Sask., Feb. 24.—Devotion of a mare to her colt was shown in striking fashion here recently. Mr. C. Woods, walking along the railway track, saw a number of horses on the ties of a railway bridge. He chased all of them off, except the colt, whose foot was caught between the ties. Mr. Woods was unable to release the colt and came into town for aid. In the meantime, the mare had rejoined the colt, and a snowplough came along and killed both animals.

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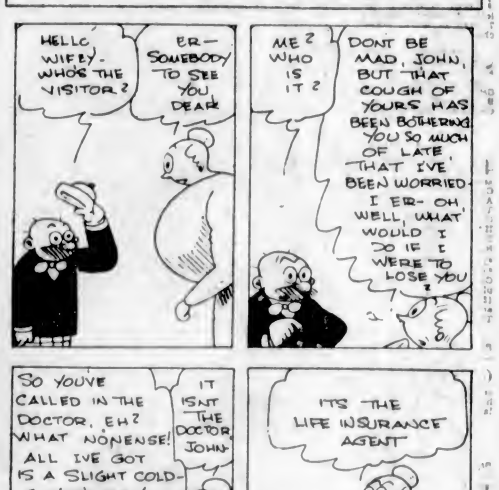
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EMBARRASSING MOMENTS



Jim—My friend Jones is a haberdasher for a railroad company.
Jam—What does he do?
Jim—He looks after the ties.

The usual gloomy crowd was sitting round a dentist's room the other day, when one old boy looked up from the paper he had found on the table and said cheerily, "I see there's been a big battle off the coast of Jutland."

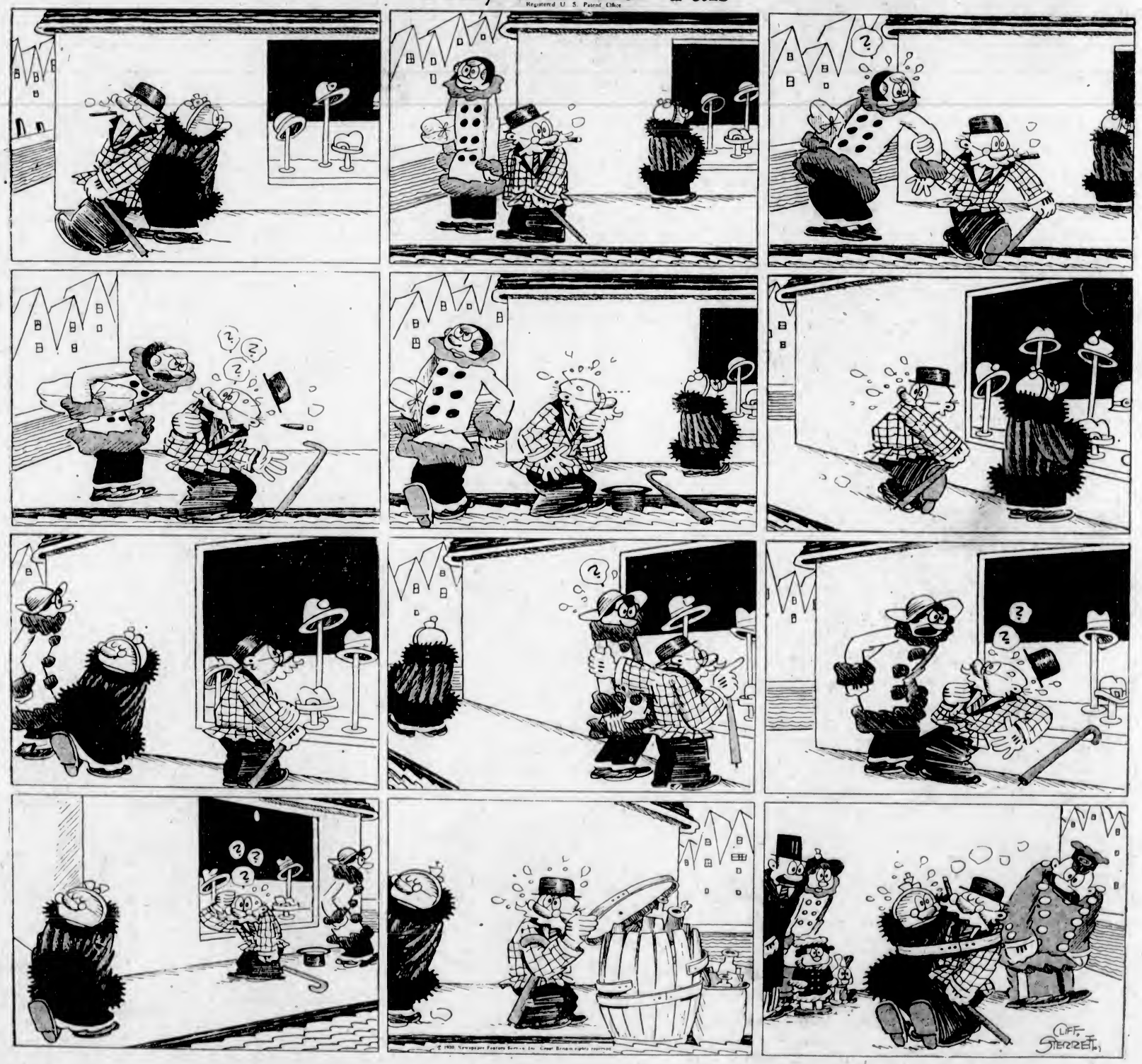
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Old Offender—No, you'd look like a zebra by now if you did

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COLONIST AND J.B.A.A. WIN

Newsies Defeat Bays' Senior "C" Cagers While Fidelis Bow to Gorge Quintette

Colonist and J.B.A.A. women's team chalked up basketball victories over the J.B.A.A. senior "C" squad and Fidelis by 24-15 and 28-24 scores, respectively, last night at the J.B.A.A. gymnasium.

The Bays-Fidelis affair was one of the best exhibitions staged at the Gorge headquarters this season. Led by the brilliant Lucille Sparks, the Bays handed last year's city women's champions a surprise packet in the way of an 28-24 defeat.

At half-time the squads were deadlocked at fourteen-all, but a splendid rally in the dying moments of the last period gave the Bays their victory. Ina Foubister, of the Fidelis, led her team with eighteen points, but her performance was slightly overshadowed by Lucille Sparks, who caged twenty points.

With Bill Spencer's front line of attack working in fine style, Colonist quintette took the home club into camp in a hard-fought tussle. The newsies were leading at half-time by a 14-7 score.

Edgar Borde with eight points, Stewart with six, and Radford and Veitch with four apiece were high scorers for the morning paper crew, while Alan Wright led the Bays with six points.

The teams follow:

J.B.A.A. — E. Taylor, G. Carmichael (2), T. Goy (2), M. Muskett, K. Glenny, M. Sparks (4) and L. Sparks (20).

Fidelis—V. Foubister, I. Foubister (18), I. Philbrook, C. Yeamans, A. Taylor (2) and I. Crawford (4).

Colonist—Stewart (6), Bissell (2), Radford (4), Veitch (4), Buckle, Elliott and Borde (8).

J.B.A.A. — Bain (2), Ford (3), Wright (6), Bull, Baker and Scott (4).

Dundee Eliminates Airdrie in Scottish Cup Replay 2 to 1

(Canadian Press Cable)

GLASGOW, Scotland, Feb. 24.—In replays from the third round of the Scottish Football Association Cup competition today, Dundee eliminated Airdrie by two goals to nil. Falkirk and Leith Athletic played another drawn game after extra time. The score was one all. Dundee meets Hearts at Dundee in the next round.

TWO COMBINATION CUP GAMES CARDED

Victoria West to Battle City at Beacon Hill—C's Meet Jokers at Victoria West Park

Victoria West, leaders of the Combination Cup series, will battle Victoria City at Beacon Hill, while the Five C's will oppose the Jokers at Victoria West Park in Saturday's fixtures. Saanich Thistles will be idle. Esquimalt, who last week defeated the C's 2-1 in a Province Cup match at the Royal Athletic Park, will journey to Vancouver to meet St. Andrews.

UPLANDS GOLFERS TO DANCE TONIGHT

Annual Event Will Be Held at the Empress Hotel From 9 Till 2—300 Tickets Sold

The success of the Uplands Golf Club's annual dance, to be held at the Empress Hotel tonight from 9 till 2, was assured with the announcement yesterday of Chairman Fred Dillabough that about 300 tickets had been disposed of. This number is expected to be added to greatly today.

All arrangements for the affair were completed yesterday. A five-piece orchestra has been engaged to dispense the latest numbers and the programme includes a number of novelty events. A buffet supper will be served from 11 to 1. The committee in charge of the event follows: Fred Dillabough, chairman; Bob Semple, Bill Newcombe, Major Aitken, Harold Brynjolfson, Mrs. Semple, Miss Grant, Miss K. Bone and Mrs. Cecil Eve.

Local Cage Teams Win Five Out of Eight Exhibitions

Of the eight exhibition basketball games played over the week-end, Victoria teams captured five and lost three. Two games were played at Shawnigan Lake, three at West Road and another trio at the J.B.A.A. gymnasium.

Squads representing the J.B.A.A. took two out of three games against the visiting Nanaimo cagers. The oarsmen's senior quintette beat Nanaimo's team, 30-15, while the Bays girls' team finished on the long end of a 24-22 count against the visitors. Nanaimo Gallahads beat the Bays' intermediates, 25-24.

Victoria teams broke even at Shawnigan Lake, the Axioms winning 22-12 and the Foresters losing 42-22. At West Road Victoria College lost all three games.

The teams and scores of the games follow:

J.B.A.A.—A. Chapman (4), C. Chapman (6), Patrick (18), S. Wright, Butler (2) and Wright.

Nanaimo — Waugh (2), Walford (4), Manson (4), Hawthornthwaite (2), Kelly (3) and Aikenhead.

J.B.A.A.—G. Taylor 2), G. Carmichael (4), G. Hancock, H. Muscutt, K. Glenny, M. Sparks (2), T. Goy (2) and L. Sparks (12).

Nanaimo—D. Haddow (2), D. Robinson (14), T. Tesini (3), T. Richards, G. Mosdell (2) and G. Richardson (1).

Nanaimo — Watchorn (4), Green (3), Kulai (4), Miles, Styles (3), Brown (10) and Hyneck (1).

J.B.A.A.—Bain (2), Patrick (4), Chapman (10), C. Chapman (2), Ford and Scott (6).

Shawnigan—M. Hawkins (4), R. Lost (4), L. Luckovitch, V. Sutton (2), K. Luckovitch and H. Macklin (2).

Axioms—N. Aymes (2), N. Scutt, J. Milliken (12), K. Freestone (4), Bethel and H. Scutt (4).

Shawnigan—C. Lewington (16), E. Lewington, Gibson (2), Luckovitch (14), Yates (10), Cronk and Neff.

Foresters—Craig (12), Cann (2), Irvings, Reynolds (6) and Fennell.

West Road—Mary Peden (6), May Peden, Isabel Alexander (6), B. Armstrong (2), B. Handy, D. Terry (6) and C. Alexander.

College—M. Ewart (2), V. Anderson, Z. Purdy (2), N. Jones (8), A. Kinsman, B. MacMurchie and M. O'Brien.

West Road—Peden (13), Lannon (6), Butler (2), A. Bickford (2) and S. Bickford (12).

College — Macmurchie (12), Mortimer (2), Jones (2), Whyte (4) and Graham.

West Road—Lannon (15), Sluggett (5), M. Lannon (9), Andrews (12) and Rice (2).

College — Prior (2), Fraser (4), Jones (28), Macmurchie (6) and Mortimer (2).

DUNCAN BADMINTON

DUNCAN, Feb. 24 — Sixteen couples entered the American sealed handicap tournament on the courts of the Duncan Badminton Club here Saturday. In the play-off between the winners of sections one and two, A. M. Dirom and Miss Muriel Herd, playing from scratch, defeated Nat Staples and Miss Winifred Dawson-Thomas, plus 2, by scores of 15-8, 15-8.

The scores of games played are given below:

Section One

A. Dirom and Miss Herd, 105 plus 3, 108.

S. J. Westcott and Mrs. Westcott, 87, plus 6, 93.

O. T. Smythe and Miss V. Harris, 87, plus 4, 91.

L. Henslowe and Miss Wightman, 85, plus 6, 91.

D. Roberts and Miss Kier, 85, plus 4, 89.

R. A. Thorpe and Miss Burkholder, 80, plus 6, 86.

Major Rice and Miss Blyth, 84, scratch, 84.

A. Prevost and Mrs. Purvey, 73, plus 3, 76.

Section Two

N. Staples and Miss Dawson-Thomas, 105, scratch, 105.

M. Burkholder and Miss Owens, 84, plus 18, 102.

G. Prevost and Miss Stanhope, 71, plus 26, 99.

G. Wilson and Miss Lyon, 97, scratch, 97.

N. Mustart and Mrs. Rice, 80, plus 12, 92.

Col. Rice and Miss Rice, plus 28, 90.

J. Watson and Miss Buckmaster, 66, plus 18, 84.

T. Shadbolt and Miss Coles, plus 18, 61.

SMALLPOX FORCES HAGEN, KIRKWOOD TO ABANDON N.Z. TOUR

WELLINGTON, N.Z., Feb. 24.—Owing to a mild outbreak of smallpox aboard the steamer Aorangi, Joe Kirkwood and Walter Hagen, golf stars, have been forced to abandon their proposed tour of New Zealand. They will continue their journey to Sydney.

Wins Ski Title

OTTAWA, Feb. 24.—Running a spectacular race in a drizzling rain that wet the contestants to the marrow, Erkki Pentilla, the Finnish cross-country star of Montreal, captured the Canadian cross-country ski title here yesterday when he fought his way over the twelve-mile course through the Gatineau Hills in heavy, wet snow, to cover the distance in 1 hour, 27 minutes and 30 seconds.

Hall Leads Pacific Coast Cue Play-Off

(Associated Press)

SEATTLE, Feb. 24.—Joseph Hall, of San Francisco, captured a twenty-three point lead in the first block tonight of his match here with Wallace Lindsley, of Bellingham, Wash., for the Pacific Coast amateur three-cushion championship. Hall scored fifty points to Lindsley's twenty-seven in the first block of the three-block matches.

CRICKET MEETING WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY, MARCH 3

A general meeting of the Victoria Cricket Association, which will be open to all clubs, schools and those interested, will be held in the Chamber of Commerce on Monday, March 3, at 8:15 o'clock. Several matters of importance pertaining to the forthcoming season will be considered.

Tilden and Coen Win Doubles Title

BEAULIEU, France, Feb. 24.—Bill Tilden and Wilbur F. Coen, Jr., America's first and eighth ranking tennis players, today won the doubles title in the Beaulieu tournament, defeating Dr. Daniel Prenn and Heirich Kleinschroth, a German team, 8-6, 6-2, 6-4.

The pedestrian has the right of way only after the ambulance picks him up.

RACING



AGUA CALIENTE, Feb. 24.—Results of horse racing here yesterday follow:

First race—Seven furlongs:

Black Spot (Schutte)	$17.60	$6.60	$4.20
Gee Whiz (Cleverly)		4.40	4.00
Chard (Level)			5.40

Time, 1:27. Also ran: Bitter, Chief's Mountaineer, Idealia, Thrace. Scratched: Olive Dexter, Edward K. Howard Lee, Red Plume, Mac Maxim, Money's Worth, Seth's Companion, Northampton, Rolling Star, Felaika, Hill & Hill.

Second race—Seven furlongs:

Perrona Seth (Romano)	$10.80	$4.40	$3.00
Broomoney (Luther)		3.40	3.00
Ourieda (Wolverton)			2.60

Time, 1:28 1-5. Also ran: Leo Lampe, Queen Olivia, Lampasas, Capt. Guard, Hong Kine, Tom Nash, Parisette. Scratched: Ann Curtis, Rochester's Miss, Robert J. Weedburn, Badger Face, Peddie, Opie Wood, Bay Lad.

Third race—Mile and one-eighth:

Hopeless (Woolf)	$3.60	$3.20	$2.80
Kiyi (Luther)			3.20
Fonimoi (Kelser)			4.00

Time, 1:56 4-5. Also ran: Kidder, Open Hand, Blue Fish, Helen E. Nose Dive. Scratched: Clearing House, Brownie Smile, Russell Gardner.

Fourth race—Six furlongs:

Vanity (No Jock)	$8.00	$3.60	$2.60
Panchio (Maye)		7.60	4.20
Morsun (Moran)			3.20

Time, 1:11. Also ran: Her Diddle, Triese, Dowagiac. Scratched: Shasta Bullet, Crofton, Zacawesia, Nalshapur, My Dandy, Golden Prince.

Fifth race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Will Rank (Richardson)	$6.20	$3.20	$2.20
Enthusiastic (Corbett)		6.40	3.40
Sambesu (Redding)			3.80

Time, 1:47 3-5. Also ran: Burkdale, Shasta Rock, Paul Hirtenstein, Guinea Hen, Plain Pete. Scratched: Raymonale, Ramona S., Cudgeller, Billy, Cameo.

Sixth race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

My Dandy (Allen)	$12.40	$ 7.40	$5.00
Scimitar (Teasdale)		12.00	6.00
Neopoli (Redding)			4.00

Time, 1:47 4-5. Also ran: Listo, Dr. Wilson, Eskimo, Sidney Grant, Alex Pantaeas, Jim Dandy. Scratched: Dark Sea, Brown Windom, Daly, Golden Prince, Nalshapur.

Seventh race—Mile and three-eighths:

Ted Healy (Woolf)	$8.60	$ 5.00	$3.40
Louis Wright (Wolverton)		15.60	4.60
Alloy (Mulrooney)			3.40

Time, 1:22 1-5. Also ran: Polly Timber, Moses, Barrie Oliver, Junior's Nurse. Scratched: Peesaus, Supervisor, Rockbomb, Doc McMahon.

Eighth race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Wirt G. Foxman (Teasdale)	$4.00	$3.20	$2.40
Tanist (Redding)		3.60	3.60
Riff Raff (Greco)			3.40

Time, 1:46 3-5. Also ran: Sir Raoul, Lillian T. Richu. Scratched: House Girl.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First race—Five and one-half furlongs:

Starkist	110
Jack Snare	103
Patsy Lewis	111
Lumont	111
Billy Wisp	109
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Macon	112

Second race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

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Bione age	119
Tin Soldier	120
Chiva	112
Bolo	112
Master Rock	112
Rosette Second	117
Nation Wide	101
Verpail	95
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Merry Beverly	110
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Third race—Four furlongs:

Volagreen	115
Bright Hopes	113
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Fair Ayis	115
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Mary Mede	115
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Sun B	118
Miss Zelpha	115
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Red Chill	113
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Fourth race—Six furlongs:

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Fifth race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

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Sterference	113
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Seventh race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

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Julie H	110
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Eighth race—One mile

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KINGSTON COLLEGE DOWNS WEST POINT PUCKCHASERS, 5-3

WEST POINT, N.Y., Feb. 24.—Army met its traditional hockey rival, the Royal Military College of Kingston, Ont., Saturday and lost in a fast game by 5 to 3. The contest was played at Bear Mountain Park before a capacity crowd of holiday week-enders.

SIR GEORGE THOMAS SECOND IN CHESS

NICE, France, Feb. 24.—The international chess masters' tournament, which has been played at the rooms of the Nice Chess Club for the past fortnight, came to an end today with the eleventh round. It resulted in a victory for Dr. S. Tartakower, of Paris, representing Czechoslovakia, his native land.

The second price was won by Sir George Thomas, of England.

First Soldier—Where were you when the battle was raging?

Second Soldier—I was right where the bullets were thickest.

First Soldier—Where was that?

Second Soldier—Under the ammunition wagon.

Government Will Give Assistance To Indian Radio

(Canadian Press Cable via Reuter's)

NEW DELHI, India, Feb. 24.—The Government of India has altered its decision to abstain from interference in the affairs of the Indian Broadcasting Company, which is in voluntary liquidation and is suspending its operations.

In response to an appeal from leading members of the Legislative Assembly, the administration is now seeking the concurrence of the whole Assembly in the plan to render aid to the company.

The concern announced almost two months ago that it had lost not only its original capital, laid out in plant and equipment, but also £185,000, which had been borrowed and beyond which amount loans had been found impossible.

'ROTTERS' ROUSE REAL HILARITY

Rounds of Applause Greet Opening Performance of Comedy at Royal Victoria

As real funmakers, the Gordon McLeod English Players excelled themselves last evening in the opening performance at the Royal Victoria Theatre of this week's comedy, "The Rotters," by H. F. Maltby. Produced by Gordon McLeod, the play kept the audience in a happy state of mirth from beginning to end, and the varied trials and tempestuous jangilings of the Clugston family brought forth rounds of applause.

The comedy deals with a Lancashire family whose smug respectability eventually brings havoc upon the head of each member. The part of John Clugston, J.P., a councillor and a man respected and admired in his Lancashire town, was admirably played by James McOrath, and gave him scope for a remarkable interpretation. Maud Blaye, as the mother, played her part in a most convincing manner, and the two daughters, Winnie and Estelle, played respectively by Lilian Christine and Margaret St. Barbe-West, were perfect character sketches of Lancashire girls of the type of family to which the Clugstons belong.

Ann Farrer, as the Strange Lady, one of the disturbing elements in the family circle, who succeeds in almost wrecking the home, gave an exceptionally fine, though short, performance. Claude Bailey played the part of the gentleman chauffeur, whose charms the family cannot resist, and Roland Gillett, as a rather simple Lancashire lad, awkward, a waster, and not overendowed with brains, was played by Roland Gillet. Harcourt Aubrey played the servant. Sam Dudley Somerville had a small part as Police Inspector Wigh.

The action of the play takes place in the morning-room of Mr. Clugston's house, and the miscellaneous collection of furniture, bric-a-brac and "oddments," even the aspidistra makes a delightfully appropriate setting for the family.

Last evening's patrons were enthusiastic in their reception of this gloom-dispelling, rollicking comedy which proves such a light hearted contrast to the more serious production of last week.

Cyclist Hit by Auto Sustains Broken Leg

Mr. W. Beacher, of Lake Hill, sustained a broken leg when he was knocked down by a car on North Quadra Street Sunday night about 9:30 o'clock. According to the report made to the Saanich police, the injured man was proceeding north on Quadra Street on a bicycle, when he was struck by a car traveling in the same direction and driven by Mr. H. F. Warner, 1262 Camrose Crescent. The latter was unable to see the cyclist owing to the headlights of an approaching car. Following the accident Mr. Beacher was taken to the Jubilee Hospital by Mr. Warner.

Dr. W. T. Barrett is the attending surgeon.

British Premier Called Upon for Urgent Measures

(Canadian Press Cable)

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Undaunted, apparently, by the resignation of Premier Ramsay Macdonald from its ranks last week-end, the Independent Labor Party has drawn up several resolutions and urged the Government to put them into "immediate" effect.

The Government was requested to provide old-age pensions for those who reached the age of sixty years and were in need, and to raise the school-leaving age for the young. Legislation along these lines would, the meeting believed, tend to withdraw the old and the young from the labor market and thus to relieve the unemployment problem.

Three Dead and Seven Injured In Mine Blast

(Associated Press)

WATH, Yorkshire, England, Feb. 24.—Three miners were killed and seven were injured in an explosion and subsequent fire at the Wath main colliery today.

The explosion occurred in a remote seam nearly three miles from the shaft, and rescuers busy below had not communicated tonight a detailed story to those above the ground.

One report said that 500 men and boys were in the pit when the explosion happened, but not all of them were working in the same seam, and accounts tonight did not suggest a large scale disaster.

The population of the town, however, was spending a night of anxiety at the pithead until the fate of the miners became clear.

STATE OUGHT TO SUPPORT NAVY LEAGUE

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Department of Education could not do anything in the matter. Had the Dominion Government not withdrawn its grant for technical education something might have been done.

Expressing regret because Premier Tolmie had been unable to be present on account of pressure of public business, the minister paid a compliment to the officials of the local branch, especially mentioning the secretary, Capt. E. G. Alcock.

SUGGESTS REPRESENTATIVE

President E. W. McMullen, in presenting his address, referred to donations which it would be necessary to make to the Dominion Council, and read extracts from Dominion President Harris' address at the Dominion annual meeting last July. The president suggested that a local representative be in attendance at the next annual meeting of the Dominion Council. It was gratifying to tell of the progress the local branch was making. The Victoria and Island branch now had 700 members, ten times more than it had in 1927. He attributed much of this success to Captain Alcock and to ladies of the auxiliary, Mesdames Drake, Niven and Gillespie, and Mesdames Appleby and Woods, of the I.O.D.E. Tribute was paid to Mr. P. F. Curtis, chairman of the cadet committee. The boys now numbered fifty-eight, and eleven boys had been found positions during 1929. The Colonist and The Times were also thanked for valuable publicity.

Mr. P. F. Curtis, honorary treasurer, reported that the local branch had expended $4,392.19 during the past year, and that at the end of December there was a balance on hand of $750.03.

THE NAVAL CONFERENCE

Commander Murray, addressing the meeting, said that the conference now proceeding in London was the result of a desire on the part of the British Government to limit armaments. It desired this above all things, being short of cash, but security would not be sacrificed. Her experts had a good line on what was needed in connection with naval defence. Everybody was hoping for a definite conclusion. Security meant not only safeguarding of trade routes but all the principles the British had stood for during hundreds of years past. Canada at the present time, Commander Murray stated, was building two new ships. They were the best of their kind. The present ships in commission would probably be retained. While the personnel of Canada's navy was small, the quality was good. Canada ought to be proud of what her naval men were doing, concluded Commander Murray, as he cited instances where Canadian navy men were placed in England, after being transferred there.

Colonel Wilby moved a vote of thanks to Mr. E. W. McMullen, the retiring president of the local branch, and this was seconded by Mrs. Gillespie. Mr. P. F. Curtis asked the meeting to tender Lieutenant Tribe, commander of the cadets, a vote of thanks, and this was seconded by Mr. W. M. Hotham, who said that Lieutenant Tribe was a national asset, and asked leave to couple the name of Sub-Lieutenant Henry with that of Lieutenant Tribe.

For the election of officers there were competitions for both the president's and vice-president's chairs. For president, Mr. P. F. Curtis was selected, and for vice-president, Mr. F. A. Lindsay. Mr. E. W. McMullen will be the honorary treasurer and the executive is: Col. A. W. Wilby, Paymaster Captain J. W. C. Johnstone, R.N., Captain G. Kirkendale, Sir F. S. Barnard, Mr. W. M. Hotham, Mr. J. R. Scoby, Captain J. Phillipson, Major Layard and Captain C. F. L. Money.

While the ballots were being counted there were songs by the sea cadets, a step dance by little Miriam Schwabe and several dances by pupils of Mrs. Dorothy Wilson.

Farmers Want to Hunt Cougars on City's Watershed

Metchosin farmers, or some of them, want the right to enter on the watershed of the city's water supply, it was reported to the council, last night, by City Solicitor H. S. Pringle. The city is making application to the Legislature for the exclusion of all persons from the watershed, except with the permission of the city authorities. The farmers are said to oppose this request on the ground that to prevent them from hunting on this area will lead to an increase in the number of cougars, and these cougars will prey on their sheep.

The objection was regarded by the council as rather far-fetched. Alderman Peden remarked that the purpose of the legislation was to secure control of sanitary and other conditions in the watershed, not to prevent anyone whatever from going in for any purpose. Permission could be given where necessary.

The Mayor observed that similar legislation had been passed with regard to other watersheds, the law in the case of North Vancouver being particularly stringent. The city's proposal was absolutely sound, and the interests of 50,000 people should outweigh the barely possible loss of a few sheep.

It was decided to ask the Mayor to appear, if necessary, before the legislative committee in support of the city's request.

QUEEN OF SWEDEN BELIEVED DYING

(Associated Press)

ROME, Feb. 24.—Queen Victoria of Sweden, who has suffered from pulmonary trouble for many years, became so gravely ill today that her doctors despaired of saving her life.

For several days she has been having camphor and caffein injections, as well as oxygen administered, but though she may live for several weeks, she appeared to be near death.

Dismissed Official Is Visitor Here

Mr. Norman Watt, of Prince Rupert, was in the city yesterday. He was a visitor at the Parliament Buildings during the afternoon.

Mr. Watt's name has been much before the members of the House in connection with the circumstances of his removal from the Government agency at Prince Rupert last year. The matter is to be the subject of an inquiry, the Legislature has ordered.

PREMIER OF BRITAIN ON SOVIETISM

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"The history of religion in Russia, however," the letter continued, "is unfortunately full of records of persecution. Persecution has never, in one way or another, been absent from Russian religious life, and the revolutionary mentality which generations of oppression have created, has all the characteristics of narrowness and violence of purpose."

ON POLITICAL GROUNDS

Diplomatic recognition of Russia, said the Premier, was decided purely on practical and political grounds, and without reference to internal beliefs or policies. He added that Russia had been recognized for general good, however intricate and troublesome immediate problems might be.

"To outlaw a country is not to make it amenable to world opinion, mut the opposite," he said. "Even now you must see that the tone and temper of the agitation are hardening rather than softening the heart of the Russian Government, and giving it the opportunity of persuading its own people, however erroneously, that this is all a part of the conspiracy of other Governments to bring a war against the Soviet Government."

U.S. Senate Not In Favor of Cut To Wool Tariff

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The Senate today rejected a proposal to reduce the tariff on coarse wool used in the manufacture of cheap clothing from 34 cents, as provided in the pending bill, to 24 cents a pound.

The vote was 56 to 22 against an amendment by Senator George, Democrat, Georgia, to place a 24-rate on wools not finer than 44's.

The present rate of 31 cents was increased by the Senate on a previous occasion by 3 cents a pound.

The coalition of Democrats and Republican Independents split on the vote.

Three Republicans, nineteen Democrats voted for the cut. Eleven Democrats and forty-five Republicans combined against it.

Crash of Plane Means Death to Three Aviators

(Associated Press)

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 24.—Three men are dead as the result of the crash of a Miami-made airplane on an experimental flight.

The plane, a flying boat built by the Miami Aircraft Company, sideslipped at a 200-foot altitude and fell into Biscayne Bay as it was being demonstrated yesterday to a prospective purchaser.

The dead are: Mr. Merritt S. Carlton, Miami Beach jeweler and former resident of Watertown, N.Y.; Mr. Frank J. Somers, chief engineer of the Aircraft Company, and Mr. Thomas B. Ward, pilot. The latter two were residents of Miami. Official investigation was under way today.

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PARACHUTE JUMP FATAL TO BOXER

Attempt of Dummy Mahan to Regain Hearing Leads to His Death in South

SAN FRANISCO, Feb. 24.—Fred "Dummy" Mahan, nationally prominent welterweight boxer from Tombstone, Ariz., plunged to his death here yesterday in a 3,200-foot parachute jump from an aeroplane.

Mahan made the jump in an effort to regain his hearing. He had been deaf since he was eight months old.

A crowd of several thousand persons watched horror-stricken as he catapulted through the air from the clouds.

Only the pilot parachute opened as he fell from a plane piloted by Col. Harry Abbott, the aviator inventor of the new type parachute which Mahan was using.

Mahan had been planning the jump for several months, over the protest of his manager, Fred Windsor. Mahan previously arranged an aeroplane dive in Los Angeles, by which he had hoped to regain his hearing, but the attempt was unsuccessful.

MANAGER UNHEEDED

Windsor attempted to dissuade Mahan from making the jump only a moment before the plane took off with him as a passenger, but he refused to heed his manager's warning. Meanwhile, the crowd cheered.

Colonel Abbott said he wrote out careful instructions instructing Mahan to count six before pulling the rip cord. He apparently disregarded the directions and jerked the cord as he stepped off the wing, the flyer said.

Mahan, whose real name was Federica Mesa, is survived by his stepfather, William Mahan, and his mother, of Brackettville, Texas.

GENEVA, Feb. 24.—The special committee appointed by the Council of the League of Nations to study amendments to the League Covenant with a view to total elimination of war met today at the League Secretariat.

It had before it the proposed amendments of the British Government to revise the covenant and bring it into greater harmony with the Briand-Kellogg Pact. These deal with Articles 12, 13 and 15, of the covenant, which in its present form leaves a small chance of war under certain circumstances.

The British proposals would remove this chance, substituting for it arbitration and judicial settlement of any quarrel, or inquiry by the League Council, or such action as League members, not parties to the dispute, "consider necessary for the maintenance of right and justice other than a resort to war."

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Life, surging happy romantic young life, had begun for Missie. On an errand the day before she had met Harry Sloane, met and talked with him. And there had been a new look in Harry's eyes as he gazed down at her.

"I hardly knew you: you've done something to yourself."

"I've put my hair up," she told him gravely.

"But you're prettier. You're awfully pretty. I mean it. Can I come to see you?"

"They wouldn't like it."

"Who are 'they'?"

She told him and he seemed impressed. He knew of the Colfaxes, of course. Everybody knew of the Colfaxes. But look here, it wasn't possible that they would shut her up like that. Anyhow, she could get out. They could take some walks together. Now he'd found her he wasn't going to let her go.

And all the time her poor silly heart beating like mad, her color like a rose, her eyes shining, her resentment gone. Gone too, Stella's warnings, her precept and example.

"I'm coming round and ring the door bell some night anyhow. They can't do more than throw me out!"

"Oh, please! Please don't, Harry."

"Some of these days you'll hear a scuffle and a thud. I'll be the thud!"

When she had left him, she had forgotten to mail her letter. She had to go back again.

Unimportant, after that catastrophic meeting, the letters to Cecily Stanwood. Missie no longer cared to go to sleep at night. She preferred to lie there in the darkness and dream dreams. She was in love; the sun rose, the birds sang, the dull daily life went on to that refrain. Each walk now was an adventure; each head that rose above its fellows might be his. Forgotten was the girl that night under the trees. There was only Harry, looking down at her with soft, faintly girlish hazel eyes, and saying more with them than his eyes implied. Saying she was pretty, fidgeting a bit with his hands, watching her.

Every night, her hair smoothed, she listened for the door bell. She would watch the clock, seven-thirty, a quarter to eight, eight, a quarter past. Adelaide rolling paper spills, her grandmother knitting, erect in her chair, a deadly hush over everything; and herself a tense young figure, her muscles quivering as the hands of the clock moved on, and at a quarter after eight drawing a long breath, shivering a little as if with cold, and hope gone again.

He never came . . ."

Her first Christmas with Sarah and Adelaide was uneventful. Sitting in her room, Missie remembered other Christmasses, Stella's Christmasses. Nothing done until a day or two before; then a wild scramble, Stella coming in puffing, her arms full of bundles.

"If I catch you girls peeping under my bed, there'll be trouble. Mind that."

A mysterious odor of evergreen when one opened the cellar door.

"Mom, can I come down and get some jelly?"

"You stay right here. I'll get it myself."

On the night before Christmas Stella's machine would start. It was like her to dress the dolls at the last minute. It would start and stop quickly, as if it had sewed a very short seam, and the little girls would listen and know just what she was doing. Sometimes they could hear their father waken and grumble, and hear her replying sharply. And at dawn, in their thin nightgowns the two shivering little figures would steal down the stairs to the cold parlor. There would be the tree, strung with popcorn and threaded cranberries and paper cornucopias filled with hard candy, and beneath would be the dolls, dressed and ticketed in Stella's writing: "To Ellen, from Santa Claus." "To Missie from Santa Claus."

She made a pincushion for her grandmother, and since Adelaide was always losing her keys, a key-rack for her. This last was very handsome. It consisted of a rolling pin, gilded, and with small brass hooks screwed into it. When she had tied pink bows to each handle and a pink ribbon by which to hang it to the wall, it brought forth exclamations of delight from Norah, the housemaid.

"Well, now," she said, "if that isn't fine. It shines something wonderful, doesn't it? And it's useful, too."

Although her gifts were received with appreciation, there was little or no Christmas spirit in the house that day. Mrs. Colfax gave her a copy of Schiller's poems, and Adelaide gave her Pope; the total result of which was a dislike of poetry which lasted almost all her life.

The truth, as she was to know later, was that the two women were worried and anxious about money. The panic of 1893 was approaching, with its bread lines and its unemployed, cold and hungry, seeking shelter at the station houses, where they lay on the floor, covered with newspapers for warmth.

They had welcomed the excuse of Stella's death as offering them a year or so of seclusion. Queer that Stella, dying, had served them when Stella living had been an intolerable tragedy to them. They still had a few callers, elderly women in handsome calling costume, for calling was still a function. One dressed for it. They came in, portly figures or lean ones hidden under a vast redundency of clothing. Wherever a silhouette threatened to emerge, save at the waist, it was hidden under shirrings, ruchings, ostrich bands, lace flounces. They sat for the conventional fifteen minutes, rose with all their encumbrances of clothes, trains and card cases, and moved out with the overwhelming deliberation of battleships.

Yet Stella's death had served Sarah well.

There was no entertaining. Now and then Mr. MacDonald came to dinner, bringing with him—he was always a few steps in advance of her—a thin colorless wife. She was extraordinarily thin, and was therefore supposed to be delicate. She apparently enjoyed her condition, carried small knitted shawls about with her, had Missie tuck pillows at her back.

"I am not strong, you know," she would say plaintively.

By her fragility she kept her husband under control. It was like a weapon in her hands against him. Years later Missie was to hear that she drank vinegar in secret, to reduce herself to the last stages of attenuation.

After dinner Mrs. Colfax and the lawyer would shut themselves in the library, and long and hard were the battles fought there.

"Just how much have you sent Bert this year?"

"Very little. But I cannot live here in comfort and let him suffer."

"You'll not be living here very long unless you let him stand on his own feet."

One night he tried to explain to her. The country was in bad shape; commercial and bank failures were increasing fast; railroads were crashing; gold was scarce, there was widespread fear as to the government's ability to redeem treasury notes in gold. But how was William's widow to comprehend such matters?

"What does Adelaide do with her bit of money?" he demanded finally.

"She puts it in the savings bank."

"Then tell her to hold on to it," he said shortly. "She may need it, if things keep up."

But Adelaide, as Missie could have told them, was not holding on to it.

The Winter was interminably long. At dusk, quiet enough before, the big house died before her eyes. Downstairs tiny blue gas points dimly lighted the parlors and the library; shades were drawn, the world was shut out. After a time she ceased listening for the doorbell at eight o'clock. She would sit quietly with her hands folded in her lap, and try to ignore the palpitating life outside, try not to think, or to remember.

One thing she had gained, however. Now and then she was allowed to visit Ellen, a not too conciliatory Ellen, but a happily married one. Already she was going to have a child.

Missie always hoped that Ellen would mention Harry Sloane, but she never did. And she herself could not speak of him. There would be a curious tightening of her throat when she tried, an almost physical constriction about her heart.

"Have you seen any of the old friends?"

"Old friends indeed! I never knew we had any."

And that was all.

(To Be Continued)

REAL ESTATE BOARD TO GREET TWO VISITORS

On Wednesday the Victoria Real Estate Board will have as guests Messrs. W. A. Irwin and Thomas G. Fay, president and executive secretary, respectively, of the Pacific Northwest Real Estate Association.

A luncheon meeting has been arranged at the Chamber of Commerce at 12:15 o'clock, and it is the desire of the board that a good attendance will be present. Mr. Irwin will address the meeting.

FORMER WHIP DIES

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 24.—William Samuel Cavert, seventy-three years old, of Stathroy, formerly chief Liberal whip in the House of Commons under Sir Wilfred Laurier's administration, died here Saturday at the home of his daughter, where he had been visiting.

Burgess Bedtime Stories

A Black Ghost

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

Sometimes there is a state of mind
That to the truth makes people blind.

—Blacky the Crow.

Two days had passed since Chatterer the Red Squirrel had discovered the black feathers beneath a tree in the Green Forest and up in that tree had seen Hooty the Owl and Mrs. Hooty. He had at once jumped to the conclusion that Blacky the Crow had been killed and eaten. The news had spread all through the Green Forest and the Old Orchard and over the Green Meadows. It had spread up through the Old Pasture. Almost everyone had believed it. Reddy Fox hadn't. When Reddy first heard the news he had grinned. "What is that black-coated rascal up to now?" he muttered. "I don't believe he is dead any more than I am. When Hooty the Owl catches Blacky the Crow it will be when he is so old that he is too feeble to fly."

But almost everybody else believed the news. And when after two days had passed with no sign or sound of Blacky, even Reddy's doubt was a little shaken. He even went over to the Green Forest and saw the black feathers around the foot of the tree in which Blacky's old nest was. He he heard Hooty snapping his bill at him from up above.

"Did you kill Blacky the Crow?" demanded Reddy.

"What business is it of yours?" retorted Hooty. "Do I ask you who you have caught?"



"Did you kill Blacky the Crow?" demanded Reddy

"It is reported everywhere that you killed and ate Blacky," said Reddy. "Personally, I don't believe it. I don't believe you are smart enough."

"How about those feathers down there?" retorted Hooty.

"A few black feathers are no proof," declared Reddy. "Blacky isn't the only Crow. It will take someone smarter than you to catch Blacky."

With this Reddy trotted on. However, he wasn't so sure as he pretended to be that Blacky hadn't been caught. Those black feathers around the foot of the tree where Blacky's nest was made it look very much as if it might be that Blacky really was no more.

Over in the Old Orchard Blacky's disappearance was still the chief subject of gossip. It was the third day and no one had seen or heard Blacky. "That proves that it is true," declared Happy Jack Squirrel. "Can any of you remember three days without hearing or seeing Blacky the Crow?"

All shook their heads. None of them could. Strangely enough, it didn't pop into one of those little heads that in all those three days they had neither seen nor heard any other Crow. You see, their thoughts were just of Blacky. But it was a fact that not a Crow had been seen or heard for three days.

"Caw, caw, caw!" said a harsh voice.

You should have seen those little people scamper! Happy Jack the Gray Squirrel dodged around the trunk of a tree. Yank-Yank the Nuthatch did the same thing. Tommy Tit the Chickadee popped into a bird-house which happened to be near. Peter Rabbit, who had come up from the Old Briar Patch, dodged down between the stones of the old stone wall. If that voice had been the hunting call of Hooty the Owl himself, there couldn't have been a greater fright. You see, everyone recognized that voice as the voice of Blacky the Crow.

With frightened eyes they all peered up to the top of an apple tree. There sat Blacky the Crow. He was just as black as ever. His voice was just as harsh as ever. His eyes were just as bright as ever. But it couldn't be Blacky, because Blacky was dead. It must be Blacky's ghost. Anyway, that is what the little people of the Old Orchard thought.

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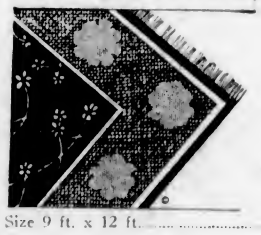
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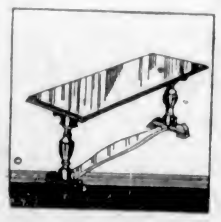
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